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# RIBSAM'S GARDEN MANUAL

*Seeds that Grow*

A BOOKLET Presenting Helpful  
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Care of the Garden, Proper Utensils, and  
All Things Pertaining to Plant and Vege-  
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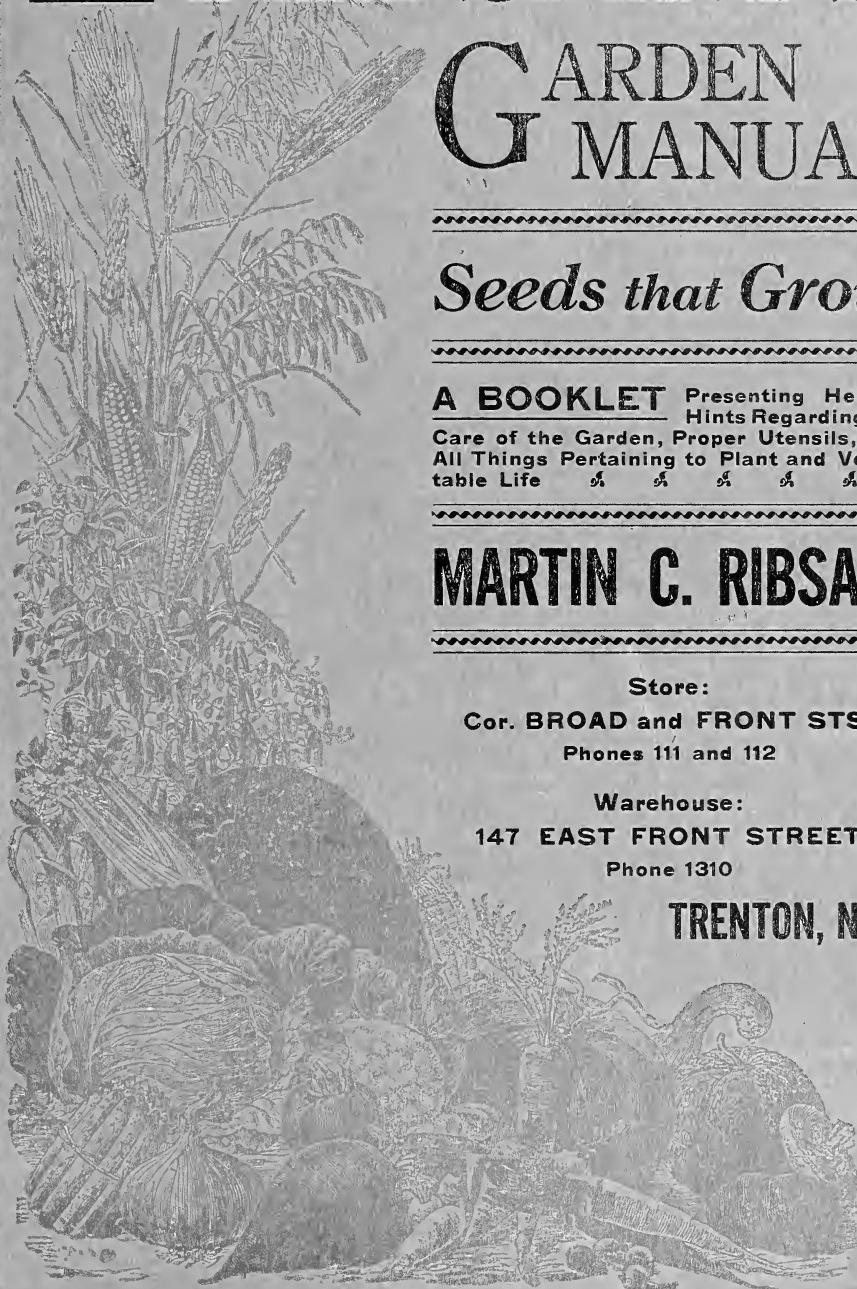
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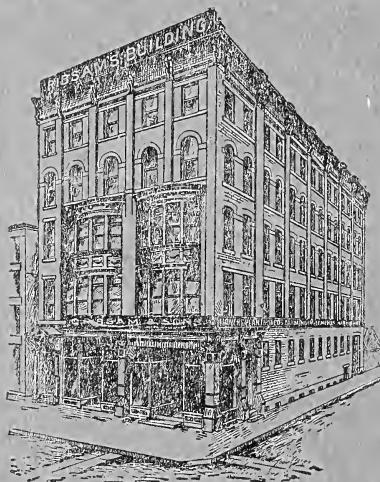


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In offering this catalogue we cannot help but harking back over the past fifty-four years and recalling our wonderful growth, due to the confidence of our patrons, won by our constant Hard Work, Good Service, Satisfactory Dealing and Honest Goods. These are the factors which have made our business and kept it growing year by year. This marked advance is a thing we have been working for and aiming at from the beginning, and this success naturally elates one and spurs one on to greater efforts in behalf of his patrons.



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I know they are right before I buy them.

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You will greatly help us by letting us know your wants early.

Add postage for all vegetable seeds of  $\frac{1}{4}$ -pound or more when it is desired to have them forwarded by mail, at the rate of 5c. per lb. and 1c. per lb. for every lb. over for distance less than 150 miles. 1 qt. seed averages 2 lbs.

All seeds by the package or ounce, as per catalogue, I mail without extra charge.

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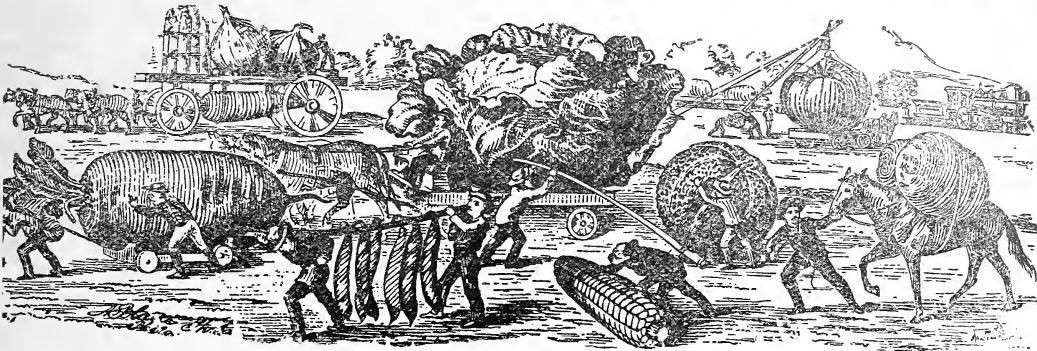
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# RIBSAM'S SEED MANUAL



## Standard Varieties of Tested Vegetable Seeds, FOR THE GARDEN AND FARM WITH DIRECTIONS FOR CULTIVATION

We offer no Novelties, as a large per cent. of those that are offered on the market are worthless. Some few are good old sorts re-named by dashy catalogue writers. We offer only good, tried varieties that are profitable to the Gardener, Trucker and Farmer, excellent in quality and profitable producers.

When ordering seed for Parcel Post delivery add 5c. for first lb. and 1c. for each pound thereafter for distances less than 150 miles.

### ARTICHOKE.

One ounce of Artichoke will sow 100 feet of drill and produce about 500 plants.

Sow in April, in rich soil, and transplant the following Spring to permanent beds, in rows (or hills) three feet apart and two feet between the plants. The plantation the first season will only give a partial crop, but as it is a perennial after being once planted the beds will remain in bearing for years. It should be protected in Winter by a covering of leaves or coarse manure.

LARGE GREEN GLOBE, PARIS.—Best for general culture. 10c. per pkt.; 50c. per oz.; \$1.75 per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$6.00 per lb.

### ASPARAGUS.

One ounce of seed will produce 200 roots and sow about 50 feet of drills. 100 roots will set a bed 12 x 40 feet, which will be large enough for ordinary family. For field culture, plant 5 to 6 feet by  $1\frac{1}{2}$  feet, according to soils.

Sow early in Spring, as soon as the ground will admit of working, in rows 3 feet apart. Keep carefully hoed and clear from weeds and the plants will be in condition to set out the succeeding Spring. The soil for the permanent beds should be thoroughly manured, and trenched to a depth of at least two feet. Plant in rows 5 to 6 feet apart, and one and a half feet between the plants in the rows. Spread the roots well out, and let the crown of the plant be covered about six or eight inches when established.

GIANT ARGENTEUIL, or FRENCH.—Most popular variety on account of its large, thick stalks. Very tender, and excellent flavor. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 20c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 65c. per lb.



BARR'S MAMMOTH.

BARR'S MAMMOTH.—Has very large tender stalks, of a very light color. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 20c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 50c. per lb.

COLOSSAL.—The best variety. Unrivaled in size, productiveness and quality. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 20c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 45c. per lb.

COLUMBIA MAMMOTH WHITE.—Stalks large and color white. Very early. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 20c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 75c. per lb.

PALMETTO.—This variety is much earlier than Conover's Colossal, a good yielder, and is more even and regular in growth. Quality as good as Conover's Colossal. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 20c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 60c. per lb.

### ASPARAGUS ROOTS.

GIANT ARGENTEUIL.—Two-year-old roots, \$1.25 per 100; \$10.00 per 1,000.

**BARR'S MAMMOTH.**—Two-year-old roots, per 100, \$1.25; 1,000, \$10.00.

**PALMETTO.**—Two-year-old roots, per 100, \$1.25; per 1,000, \$10.00.

Ask for price on quantities of 5,000 or more roots.

#### BEANS—English or Broad.

*One pound will plant 100 feet.*

This class is very hardy, and should be planted as soon as the soil is in good state in the Spring. Plant four inches apart and two inches deep, in drills four feet apart. To insure well-filled pods, pinch off the tops as soon as the lower pods begin to set.

**EARLY MAZAGAN.**—(Long Pod). Matures in fifty days after germination. 15c.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 25c.  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb.; 45c. per lb.

**BROAD WINDSOR.**—Best for general use. 15c.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 25c.  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb.; 45c. per lb.

#### BEANS—Dwarf or Bush.

*"Sixty pounds to a bushel."*

These prices are subject to change without notice.  
*One pound will plant 50 to 60 feet of drill.*

*Sixty pounds will seed an acre.*

A succession of sowing can be made from the first week in May until the middle part of August. Plant in drills about two inches deep, and from eighteen inches to three feet apart, according to the richness of the soil; the poorer the soil the closer they can be planted. The plants should be about three inches apart.

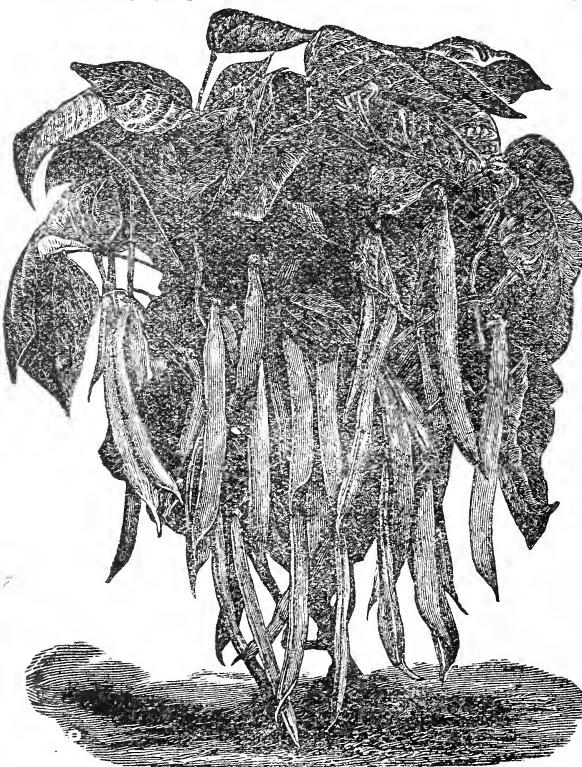
#### Green Pod Varieties.

**BOUNTIFUL.**—An extra early flat-podded variety, stringless and of fine quality. 20c. per lb.; 17c. per 10 lb. lots; 15c. per 100 lb. lots.

**FULL MEASURE.**—Long, round pod, stringless, very prolific. Pods attractive green color; firm and tender. Plants erect, with dark green foliage, also blight proof. 20c. per lb.; 15c. per 10 lb. lots; 15c. per lb., 100 lb. lots.

**EARLY BLACK VALENTINE.**—Very popular on account of its extreme hardiness and earliness. Pods long, smooth, round and bright green. They must be picked quick, as they toughen quickly. 20c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 17c. per lb.; 15c. in 100 lb. lots.

**EARLY BURPEE STRINGLESS GREEN POD.**—Very fine quality. Early and strong grower. One of the best round pod sorts. A good picking sort. 20c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 17c. per lb.; 15c. per lb. in 100 lb. lots.



PENCIL POD WAX.

**THE GIANT PODDED STRINGLESS VALENTINE.**—Distinctly superior to its parent the Early Red Valentine. The pods are borne in enormous quantities close to the center of the plant, and are not only longer but much thicker and more meaty than any of this stringless type. 20c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 17c. per lb.; 15c. per lb. in 100 lb. lots.

**EARLY IMPROVED RED VALENTINE.**—Early, productive, tender, succulent and excellent flavor. Continues longer in the green state than most of the varieties. 20c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 17c. per lb.; 15c. per lb. in 100 lb. lots.

**EARLY IMPROVED REFUGEE.**—Same as the above, but earlier. 20c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 17c. per lb.; 15c. per lb. in 100 lb. lots.

**EARLY LONG YELLOW SIX WEEKS.**—Early and prolific. An excellent variety for general crop. 20c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 17c. per lb.

**LATE REFUGEE.** 1,000 to 1.—Late; very productive, tender and large. Grown for main crop. Round pod. 20c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 17c. per lb.; 15c. per lb. in 100 lb. lots.

**LARGE WHITE KIDNEY.**—Excellent as a shell bean, green or ripe. 25c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 17c. per lb.

**WHITE MARROWFAT.**—Extensively grown for sale in the dry state; of average quality as a string bean, but excellent shelled, either green or dry. 20c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 17c. per lb.

**WHITE NAVY.**—Small round white winter bean. 20c. per lb.; 15 lb. lots, 17c. per lb.

#### BUSH LIMA.

*60 pounds to a bushel.*

**FORDHOOKE BUSH LIMA.**—Best market variety of the bush sort. The beans are thick, of large size, and fine quality. Very prolific. 10c.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 30c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 23c. per lb.; 100 lb. lots, 22c. per lb.

**BURPEE'S BUSH LIMA.**—The true bush form of the Large Lima Pole Bean. Beans nearly the size of Pole Limas. 10c.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 30c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 23c.

**DREER'S BUSH LIMA.**—The best variety of the Bush Lima sort for home garden. Pods well filled and quality of bean unexcelled. 10c.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 30c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 25c. per lb.

**HENDERSON'S BUSH LIMA.**—Produces enormous crops of delicious small LIMA BEANS, which can be as easily gathered as the common garden Bush Bean. It is at least two weeks earlier than any of the climbing Limas. 10c.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 25c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 30c. per lb.

**IMPROVED BURPEE'S BUSH LIMA.**—Larger in size of pods. Bean thicker; green in color, and quality good. Improvement on Burpee Bush Limas. 10c.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 30c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 23c. per lb.; 100 lb. lots, 22c. per lb.

#### WAX OR YELLOW—Podded Varieties.

*60 pounds to a bushel.*

**BURPEE KIDNEY WAX.**—Plants erect, grows 18 to 20 inches, free from blight and rust. Pods lemon yellow, semi-round, stringless, 6 to 7 inches long and bear twice as many as Wardwell's and yields at the same time. Shows up beautifully in basket. 25c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 20c. per lb.; 18c. in 100 lb. lots.

**BLACK WAX OR BUTTER.**—The pods, when ripe, are of a waxy yellow, transparent, very tender and delicious. An excellent variety. 25c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 20c. per lb.; 16c. in 100 lb. lots.

**CURRIE'S RUST-PROOF BLACK WAX.**—Pods long, flat and straight, of a beautiful golden color. Quality not surpassed, and for productiveness, unequalled. 25c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 18c. per lb.; 16c. per lb. in 100 lb. lots.

**HODSON WAX.**—An abundant bearer of bright yellow round pods. The plants make a strong growth, are healthy and rust-proof. 25c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 20c. per lb.; 18c. in 100 lb. lots.

**DAVIS KIDNEY WAX.**—A white seeded Wax Bean; long oval pods. One of the best for private use. 25c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 18c. per lb.

**GOLDEN-EYED WAX.**—Very hardy and prolific, with flat, yellow pods. Very early and exceptionally free from rust. A very desirable and popular sort. 25c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 20c. per lb.

**IMPROVED GOLDEN WAX.**—A flat-podded sort, but probably the best known of the yellow wax pod varieties, having become everywhere popular because of its long, showy pods, which are nearly twice the length of the old Black-Seeded Wax. 25c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 20c. per lb.; 18c. 100 lb. lots.

**KEENEY'S RUSTLESS ROUND POD WAX.**—One of the best Early Round Pod varieties. 25c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 20c. per lb.; 18c. 100 lb. lots.

**PENCIL POD WAX.**—Pods are long, straight, round like a pencil; fleshy, of a bright yellow color, tender, brittle and absolutely stringless; very productive. 25c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 20c. per lb.; 18c. per lb. 100 lb. lots.

**REFUGEE WAX.**—This is a valuable sort for early and late sowing. It withstands drought better than any other wax bean. Pods round, very tender, of a waxy, yellow color, very productive. 25c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 20c. per lb.; 16c. per lb. 100 lb. lots.

**WARDWELL'S RUST-PROOF KIDNEY WAX.**—This bean is remarkably free of rust. Pods long, broad and of delicate wavy yellow; entirely stringless. 25c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 22c. per lb.; 20c. per lb. in 100 lb. lots.

**ROUND POD KIDNEY WAX.**—A vigorous grower, pods fleshy, stringless and rust-proof. 25c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 20c. per lb.; 18c. per lb. 100 lb. lots.

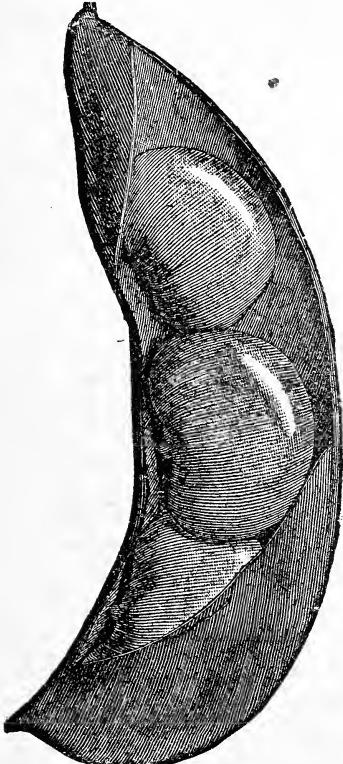
#### BEANS—Pole or Running.

60 pounds to a bushel.

*One pound will plant about 50 hills.*

These are more tender and require rather more care in the culture than the bush beans, and should be sown two weeks later than those; they succeed best in sandy loam, which should be liberally enriched with short manure in the hills, which are formed, according to the variety, from three to four feet apart; from five to six seeds are planted in each hill, about two inches deep.

**OLD HOMESTEAD or KENTUCKY WONDER.**—Very early and enormously productive, long green pods, hanging in clusters on the poles, are stringless and cook tender. 10c. 1/4 lb.; 25c. per lb.



FORD'S GREEN MAMMOTH.

**EARLY GOLDEN CLUSTER POLE WAX.**—The Early Golden Cluster begins to bear early in July and continues until frost. The pods are from six to eight inches long, and are borne in clusters of from three to six, and are most freely produced. The pods are of a beautiful golden yellow color, and the flavor is most delicious. This variety can be used either shelled or as a string bean. 10c. 1/4 lb.; 30c. per lb.

**DUTCH CASE KNIFE.**—A very productive variety, and one of the earliest; sometimes used as "snap," but generally shelled. 10c. 1/4 lb.; 35c. per lb.

**LAZY WIFE'S POLE BEAN.**—The pod grows from six to eight inches long, entirely stringless and of a rich buttery flavor when cooked. 10c. 1/4 lb.; 30c. per lb.

**WHITE CREAMBACK.**—Long green pod, snap short; very tender; pods attractive and prolific; grow five to six inches in length. 10c. 1/4 lb.; 30c. per lb.

**SCARLET RUNNER.**—A great favorite in European gardens, both as an ornamental plant and a useful vegetable. It grows to the height of ten feet, producing dazzling scarlet flowers. 10c. 1/4 lb.; 30c. per lb.

#### BEANS, POLE LIMA.

60 pounds to a bushel.

**DREER'S IMPROVED POTATO or CHALLENGER.**—Earlier and more prolific than large lima. Bean small and of extra quality, thick. Produces almost all season. 10c. per 1/4 lb.; 30c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 22c. per lb.; 100 lb. lots, 20c. per lb.

**FORD'S GREEN MAMMOTH.**—This is undoubtedly the best of all the climbing Limas, the individual beans being of enormous size, containing from five to eight Green Beans to a pod. 10c. 1/4 lb.; 30c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 25c. per lb.; 100 lb. lots, 20c. per lb.

**LEVIATHAN EARLY.**—An exceedingly early and an enormous cropper from the start; quality fine. 10c. 1/4 lb.; 30c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 22c. per lb.; 100 lb. lots, 20c. per lb.

**CARPENTERIA.**—A variety that retains its green color at all times, even after drying. It has a very fine flavor and size and is very prolific. It is a good early variety. The seed is broad and thick. 10c. 1/4 lb.; 30c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 22c. per lb.; 100 lb. lots, 20c. per lb.

**KING OF THE GARDEN.**—Large in pod, and bean very productive. 10c. 1/4 lb.; 30c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 22c. per lb.

**SIEBERT'S EARLY.**—An improvement on the large Lima bean, the pods being peculiarly thin and flexible so that they are more easily opened and shelled than other beans. When in condition for use they are larger than any other variety and very handsome in shape and color. It is the earliest of the large limas. Vines are hardy and very productive; a trial will be well rewarded. 10c. 1/4 lb.; 30c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 22c. per lb.

#### BEET.

*One ounce of garden varieties will sow 75 feet of drill 5 to 6 pounds to the acre.*

The soil which is best suited for the culture of the Beet is that which is rather light than otherwise, always provided that it is thoroughly enriched with manure. For in early supply sow in Spring, as soon as the ground becomes fit to work, in drills about one foot apart and two inches deep. For main crop sow the first week in May, and for Winter use sow in June. When the plants have attained three or four leaves, thin out, so that they may stand eight or nine inches apart. Keep free from weeds by hand-weeding and hoeing. In October the roots may be taken up and stored, care being taken that they are not bruised or injured in the process.

**NUTTINGS EARLY GEM.**—For early beet this is one of the best. Will grow well under sash. It is smooth and dark in color with small tops. An excellent all season variety. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 35c. per 1/4 lb.; \$1.00 per lb.

**EARLY EGYPTIAN TURNIP, CROSBY IMP. AMERICAN STRAIN.**—Earliest beet in cultivation. Color, deep crimson. Of excellent quality. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 25c. per 1/4 lb.; 75c. per lb.

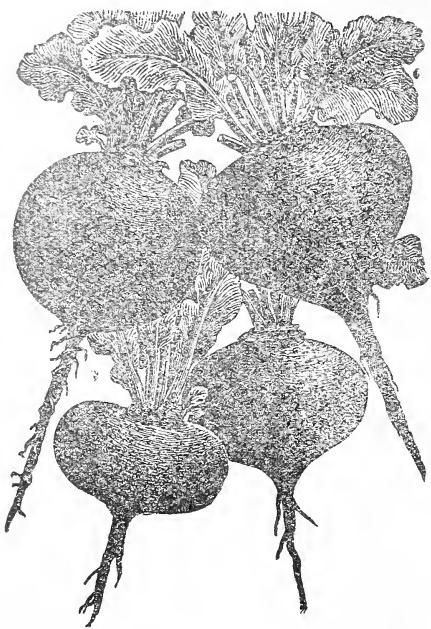
**EARLY EGYPTIAN DARK RED.**—The old standard sort. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 25c. per 1/4 lb.; 75c. per lb.

**ECLIPSE.**—While it is just about as early as the Egyptian, it is better, because it is larger and of much finer quality. It makes small top, and produces smooth-growing, perfectly round Beets, the skin and flesh of which are of dark crimson color. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 25c. per 1/4 lb.; 65c. per lb.

**CRIMSON GLOBE.**—Handsome second early main crop market sort. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 25c. per 1/4 lb.; 65c. per lb.

**EARLY LENTZ'S BLOOD TURNIP.**—It has a very small top, and will produce a crop in six weeks from the time of planting the seed. It is very productive and a perfect keeper. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 25c. per 1/4 lb.; 75c. per lb.

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CRIMSON GLOBE.

BASTIAN BLOOD TURNIP.

EARLY LENTZ.

CROSBY'S EGYPTIAN.

**BASTIAN'S BLOOD TURNIP.**—After the Egyptian Turnip, probably the earliest variety of Beet. Is of blood-red color, when boiled. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 25c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 75c. per lb.

**EARLY BLOOD TURNIP.**—The standard early sort. An excellent variety. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 25c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 75c. per lb.

**LONG SMOOTH BLOOD-RED.**—An excellent late variety. A great improvement on the common Long Blood. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 25c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 65c. per lb.

**DETROIT DARK RED.**—One of the best market gardener's variety. It is early, fine grained; remains tender longer than any other variety. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 25c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 75c. per lb.

**SWISS CHARD, SILVER OR SEA KALE.**—This variety is cultivated solely for its leaves. The mid-rib is stewed and served as asparagus, the other portions of the leaf being used as spinach. If often cut, new and more tender leaves will be reproduced. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 25c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 75c. per lb.

**Giant LUCULLIAS.**—Curled. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 25c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 75c. per lb.

**HALF LONG.**—The principal points of excellence in the Half Long as distinguished from the round varieties are the vividly rich colors which characterize almost every long variety, and their peculiar adaptation for slicing, while its extreme tenderness and freedom from a rooty fibre will make it one of the leading late Winter sorts. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 25c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 75c. per lb.

**WHITE SUGAR.**—Good for late table and stock feeding; very sweet. 10c. per oz.; 20c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 50c. per lb.

### MANGEL WURZEL AND SUGAR BEET.

The following varieties are grown for feeding cattle and stock. Sow in April or May. Six to eight pounds per acre, in rows three feet apart, thin out to six inches in the row. During rainy weather the plants can be transplanted.

**MAMMOTH LONG RED.**—This is the finest stock of Long Red Mangel in cultivation. 10c. per oz.; 20c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 45c. per lb.

**GOLDEN TANKARD.**—This variety is an exceedingly popular variety in Great Britain, where it is considered particularly valuable on account of its nutritious and milk-producing qualities. Sheep have preference for this sort over other mangels. It is said that they will pick

out every piece of Golden Tankard before touching others. It yields, under the best cultivation, 75 tons per acre. 10c. per oz.; 20c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 45c. per lb.

**RED GLOBE.**—A variety similar to the Yellow Globe in shape and size, and differing only in color. 10c. per oz.; 20c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 45c. per lb.

**YELLOW GLOBE.**—Roots of large size and globular form. Very productive. Keeps better than the Long Red, and is better adapted for growing in shallow soil. 10c. per oz.; 20c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 45c. per lb.

### BROCCOLI.

*One ounce will sow 75 feet of drill, and produce about 2,000 plants.*

Nearly allied to the Cauliflower, but more hardy; the seed should be sown in this district in the early part of May and transplanted in June; farther south the sowing should be delayed until June or July, and the transplanting accordingly, from August to October. In parts of the country where the thermometer does not fall below 20 to 25 degrees, Broccoli may be had in perfection from November until March. It succeeds best in a moist and rather cool atmosphere.

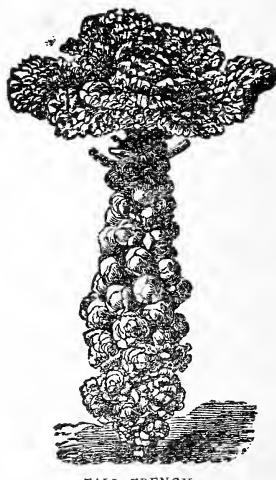
**WHITE CAPE.**—Heads medium size, close, compact and of a creamy white color. One of the most certain to head. 10c. per pkt.; 75c. per oz.; \$3.00 per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$10.00 per lb.

**PURPLE CAPE.**—Differs only in color. 10c. per pkt.; 65c. per oz.; \$2.00 per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$6.00 per lb.

### BRUSSELS SPROUTS.

*One ounce will sow 75 feet of drill, and produce about 2,000 plants.*

This is one of the best vegetables for Winter use, producing from the axils of the leaves an abundance of sprouts, resembling small cabbages, of excellent, mild flavor. It has never come into general use in this country, probably owing to its being too tender to stand



TALL FRENCH.

the Winters of the Northern States; still, by sowing in April or May, and planting out in July, it may be had in fine condition until December, and in the Southern States may be had in use from November to March.

**DWARF IMPROVED.**—A variety producing compact sprouts. 10c. per pkt.; 20c. per oz.; 65c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$2.00 per lb.

**TALL FRENCH.**—Very fine. 10c. per pkt.; 25c. per oz.; 75c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$2.50 per lb.

### CABBAGE.

*One ounce will sow 75 feet of drill, and produce about 2,000 plants.*

The early varieties of Cabbage are cultivated more extensively than any other vegetable. In latitudes where the thermometer never indicates 20 degrees below the freezing point, seed may be sown in the open border in October, and planted out on the first opening of Spring, but in our Northern States they must either be sown in hot-beds in February, or, what is still better, wintered over in cold-frames. For this purpose the seed is sown

from the 10th to the 20th of September. Attention to date is important; if too soon, the plants might run to seed, and if too late, they will be too small. In four or five weeks from the time of sowing they will be fit to transplant into cold frames. In planting it is very important with Cabbage or Cauliflower that the plant is set down to the first leaf, so that the stem is all under ground, for if exposed, it will be split by the action of the frost, and will be injured in consequence. The plants are usually set out from the middle of March to the middle of April, in rows about two feet apart, and eighteen inches between the plants in rows. The late varieties are usually sown in the early part of May, and the plants are set out in July, at a distance of three feet between the rows and two feet between the plants.

**CHINESE OR PTE-SAI.**—It is called cut cabbage in China, and is appearing extensively in our markets. It grows erect, not forming a head, and resembles Cos Lettuce. Its flavor is mild, and is used either as a salad or cooked. Set plants three feet apart and two feet in the row. 10c. per pkt.; 25c. per oz.; 75c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$2.75 per lb.



JERSEY WAKEFIELD.

**EARLY JERSEY WAKEFIELD.**—Extensively grown in all parts of the country as the best and most profitable early variety in cultivation; an extra fine stock. 10c. per pkt.; 25c. per oz.; 75c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$2.75 per lb.

**EARLY SPRING.**—This variety is of early Summer type, but about one-fifth smaller. It can be planted as close as twenty-one inches apart, owing to its few short outer leaves. Its great value lies in the fact that it is the first early flat cabbage. 10c. per pkt.; 25c. per oz.; 75c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$2.75 per lb.

**COPENHAGEN EARLY MARKET.**—An excellent early variety. Matures at about the time of Charleston Wakefield. Heads very large and round. Leaves light green, head very heavy and it is a very uniform cropper. 10c. per pkt.; 25c. per oz.; 75c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$2.75 per lb.

**EARLY CHARLESTON, OR LARGE TYPE OF WAKEFIELD.**—The Largest and Best First-Early Cabbage. This stock was selected from one of the best stocks of Wakefield, a large type, which is now so fixed in its character that we can offer it with confidence to those desiring a Cabbage of this kind. 10c. per pkt.; 25c. per oz.; 75c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$2.75 per lb.

**EARLY SUMMER.**—It is about ten days later than the Wakefield, but being of fully double the size it may be classed as the best large early Cabbage. 10c. per pkt.; 25c. per oz.; 75c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$2.75 per lb.

**EARLY FLAT DUTCH.**—A valuable early variety; largely grown in the vicinity of New York. 10c. per pkt.; 25c. per oz.; 75c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$2.75 per lb.

**ALL SEASON.**—Suitable to plant any time, early or late. A sure leader. 10c. per pkt.; 25c. per oz.; 75c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$2.75 per lb.

**SUCCESSION.**—The Succession we regard as the most valuable variety that has been introduced since the Early Summer. It is the best Cabbage for either early or late use ever offered. The Succession is about one week later than the Early Summer, but it is double the size, and is so finely bred that in a field of ten acres every head was a magnificent, perfect specimen, fit for exhibition purposes. 10c. per pkt.; 25c. per oz.; 75c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$2.75 per lb.

**AUTUMN KING or WORLD BEATER.**—A distinct strain of late Cabbage, which is highly spoken of by all market gardeners who have thus far tested it. The heads are of enormous size and very solid. 10c. per pkt.; 25c. per oz.; 75c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$2.75 per lb.

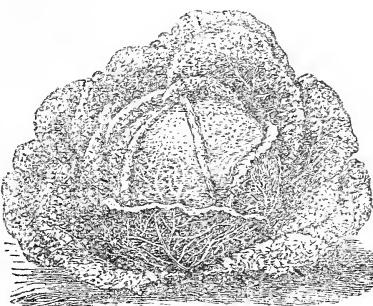
**DANISH BALL HEAD.**—A very handsome and extremely hardy imported Cabbage, which is growing in

popularity in America, having proven one of our best Winter sorts; it thrives well on thin soils and in highly exposed situations. Heads not quite as large as the Late Flat Dutch, but very hard, round, fine grained, and will weigh one-fourth more than other varieties of equal size. 10c. per pkt.; 25c. per oz.; 75c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$2.75 per lb.

**SUREHEAD.**—A good all-around late Cabbage. 10c. per pkt.; 25c. per oz.; 75c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$2.75 per lb.

**SELECTED PREMIUM LATE FLAT DUTCH.**—To this we have only to add that the seed offered has been grown from heads uniform in size, large and solid. Those who buy it for the first time will find it to be one of the most satisfactory strains of late Cabbage they have ever used. 10c. per pkt.; 25c. per oz.; 75c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$2.50 per lb.

**ENKHUIZEN GLORY.**—Very excellent round headed variety. Matures with Wakefield. Will remain a long time after heading without bursting. 10c. per pkt.; 25c. per oz.; 75c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$2.75 per lb.



DRUMHEAD SAVOY.

**DRUMHEAD SAVOY OR PERFECTION.**—The largest heading sort; of excellent flavor. 10c. per pkt.; 25c. per oz.; 75c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$2.75 per lb.

**LARGE LATE DRUMHEAD.**—Grows to a large size, with round, compact heads. 10c. per pkt.; 25c. per oz.; 75c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$2.75 per lb.

**RED DUTCH.**—Used almost exclusively for pickling. 10c. per pkt.; 25c. per oz.; 75c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$2.75 per lb.

**MAMMOTH ROCK RED.**—This is by far the best, largest and surest heading red Cabbage ever introduced. The plant is large, with numerous spreading leaves. The head is large, round, very solid and of deep color inside, as well as outside. Ninety-eight per cent. of the plants will form extra fine heads. The best of the red Cabbages. 10c. per pkt.; 25c. per oz.; 75c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$2.75 per lb.

## CABBAGE PLANTS.

Price Subject to Fluctuation.

### FOLLOWING EARLY SORTS.

**EARLY WAKEFIELD AND EARLY SUMMER.**—10c. per doz.; 75c. per 100; \$5.00 per 1,000 out of seed bed.

Transplanted plants 20c. per doz.; \$1.25 per 100.

### LATE SORTS.

**SUREHEAD, DANISH BALL HEAD, LATE FLAT DUTCH, AUTUMN KING, SUCCESSION.**—75c. per 100; \$4.00 per 1,000.

Special prices given on lots of 5,000 or 10,000.

## CARDOON.

One ounce will sow 100 feet of drill.

Cardoon is grown for the midrib of the leaf, which requires to be blanched in the same manner as celery. Sow early in Spring, where the plants are to remain in drills three feet apart, an inch and a half deep, and thin out the young plants to a foot apart in the drills.

**LARGE SPANISH.**—10c. per pkt.; 30c. per oz.; \$1.00 per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$3.00 per lb.

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## CARROT.

*One ounce will sow 100 feet of drills; 3 pounds will seed an acre.*

The Carrot, like other root crops, delights in a sandy loam, richly tilled. For early crops sow in Spring, as soon as the ground is in good working order; for later crops, they may be sown any time until the middle of June. Sow in rows about fifteen inches apart, thinning out to three or four inches between the plants. For field culture, rows three feet apart, four inches between the rows.

**EARLY FRENCH FORCING.**—The earliest variety; valuable for forcing; root small and of fine flavor. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 30c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.00 per lb.

**EARLY SCARLET HORN.**—An old favorite sort, much esteemed for early Summer use. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 25c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 85c. per lb.

**EARLY HALF-LONG RED.**—(Stump rooted.) A variety intermediate in size and maturity between the preceding and Long Orange. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 25c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 75c. per lb.

**CHANTENAY HALF-LONG.**—Fine orange scarlet color, very productive; especially desirable for market or home use. The flesh is tender, firm and finely grained. Five inches long, stump rooted. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 25c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 85c. per lb.

**OX-HEART OR GUERANDE.**—Early, short, thick, very smooth and handsome market sort. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 25c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 85c. per lb.

**RUBICON HALF-LONG ORANGE.**—It is uniform in shape, and its deep red orange-colored flesh makes it the finest in quality. It is earlier than Danvers. Heavier and thicker at the shoulder. Exceedingly heavy cropper. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 25c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 75c. per lb.

**DANVERS.**—A variety of great promise, in form midway between the Long Orange and Early Horn class. In color it is of a rich shade of orange, growing very smooth and handsome. It is claimed that this variety will yield the greatest bulk with the smallest length of root of any now grown. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 25c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 75c. per lb.

**LONG ORANGE IMPROVED.**—The roots are of large size. Equally adapted for garden or farm culture. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 25c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 75c. per lb.



DANVERS.

## CATTLE CARROT.

**LARGE WHITE BELGIAN.**—A very productive kind, grown almost exclusively for stock; grows one-third out of the ground; lower part of the root white, that above the ground green. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 25c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 65c. per lb.

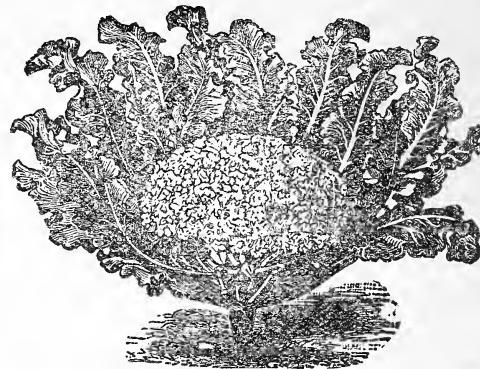
**YELLOW BELGIAN.**—When young the roots are mild, delicate and of good flavor; when full grown, valuable for stock. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 25c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 65c. per lb.

## CAULIFLOWER.

*One ounce will sow 75 feet of drill and produce 2,500 plants.*

Any soil that will grow Cabbage will grow Cauliflower, as their requirements are almost similar. But as the product is more valuable, extra manuring and preparation of the soil will be well repaid.

The seed may be sown in September and wintered over in the same manner as described for early cabbage. Where this is not practicable, it may be had nearly as well by sowing the seeds in the hot-bed in January or February, and transplanting the plants at two or three inches apart, in boxes, or in the soil of another hot-bed, until such time as they are safe to be planted in the open ground, which, in this latitude, is usually from the 15th of March to the 10th of April. If properly hardened off, they are seldom injured by planting out too early.



HENDERSON'S EARLY SNOW-BALL.

**HENDERSON'S EARLY SNOW-BALL.**—It is the earliest of all Cauliflowers. Sown at the same time and under the same conditions with ten other kinds, on the 1st of March, heads of the Early Snow-Ball, measuring nine inches in diameter, are about one week earlier than any other sort. Besides this variety, every plant forms a fine head. In addition to its earliness and greater certainty to head than any other sort, its dwarf habit and short outer leaves allow it to be planted as close as 18 inches apart. For forcing, under glass, during Winter and Spring, this variety is particularly well adapted. 25c. per pkt.; \$2.00 per oz.

**DRY WEATHER.**—Especially adapted to dry soils and long dry seasons. Heads large and pure white. 25c. per pkt.; \$2.00 per oz.

**EXTRA EARLY PARIS.**—A well-known, excellent variety. 15c. per pkt.; 75c. per oz.

**EXTRA EARLY DWARF ERFURT.**—A favorite early market variety; large, compact heads of fine quality. 25c. per pkt.; \$2.00 per oz.

## CELERIAC, OR TURNIP-ROOT CELERY.

*One ounce will produce 3,000 plants.*

A variety of celery having turnip-shaped roots, which may be cooked and sliced, and used with vinegar, making a most excellent salad. It is more hardy, and may be treated in the same manner as Celery.

**GIANT PRAGUE.**—10c. per pkt.; 20c. per oz.; 60c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$2.00 per lb.



GIANT PRAGUE.

## CELERY.

*One ounce will sow 100-foot row, and produce 3,000 plants.*

Sow in open ground as soon as it is fit to work, late in March or early in April. Keep clear of weeds until time for transplanting, in June or July. The tops should be shorn off once or twice before transplanting to insure stocky plants. When from four to six inches high, transplant into broad, shallow trenches nearly on the level, three feet apart, and six inches in the rows. The soil should be light, highly manured and moist, or near water, as the plants must be freely watered in dry weather. Earthing up should not be begun until the plants are quite well grown; then earth up gradually, keeping the leaf-stocks close together, so that the earth may not fall into the center of the plant. Never earth up in wet weather or when the dew is on the plant.

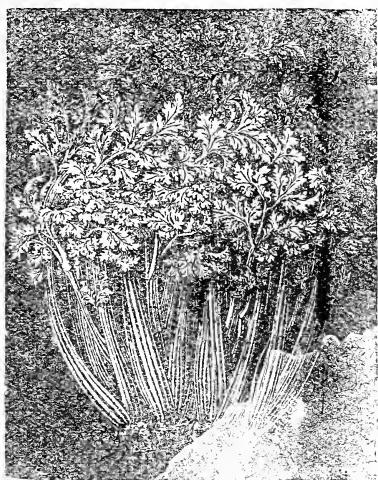
Celery for very late use which is earthed or bunched up early is liable to rust. When severe cold weather comes on, cover with leaves, hay or straw, and place boards on the top to keep out moisture. The covering must be put on gradually, else there will be danger of heating and consequent decay.

**EARLY PINK PLUME.**—A strong, healthy, compact grower, with no tendency to rust. Stems very solid and crisp, extra early and a long keeper, remaining, when properly trenched, in perfect condition away into Spring. It possesses a rich, nutty flavor, with stocks of ivory white, suffused with dainty pink, which not only delight the eye, but tempt the palate of the epicure. 10c. per pkt.; 25c. per oz.; 75c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$2.50 per lb.

**GOLDEN YELLOW SELF-BLANCHING.**—(French Strain.) This variety of Celery is of a yellowish green color, but as they mature the inner stems and leaves turn a beautiful golden yellow, which adds much to their attractiveness and makes the work of blanching much easier. The handsome color, crispness, tenderness, freedom from stringiness, and fine nutty flavor of this variety make it only necessary to be tried in order to establish it as the standard of excellence as an early sort. 10c. per pkt.; 50c. per oz.; \$1.75 per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$6.00 per lb.

**GIANT PASCAL.**—A green sort, very brittle, but crisp and nutty in flavor. 5c. per pkt.; 25c. per oz.; 75c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$2.00 per lb.

**EARLY WHITE PLUME.**—This Celery is valued because naturally the stalk and portions of its inner leaves and heart are white. By simply tying up the leaves and drawing up the soil with the hoe the work of bleaching is completed. It is ornamental, tender, crisp and of good flavor. 10c. per pkt.; 25c. per oz.; 75c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$2.50 per lb.



SCHUMACHER.

**SCHUMACHER.**—Very popular among New York market gardeners. They consider it the best Winter variety; keeping quality excellent. Grows to large size, with golden-yellow heart. Very solid and crisp. 5c. per pkt.; 25c. per oz.; 75c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$2.50 per lb.

**GOLDEN HEART—Golden Dwarf.**—In size and habit of growth it is much the same as the Half-Dwarf kinds, except that, when bleached, the heart, which is large and full, is of waxy, golden yellow, rendering it a most striking and showy variety for either market or private use. It is entirely solid, and of most excellent flavor, and one of the best keepers that has ever been known. 5c. per pkt.; 25c. per oz.; 75c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$2.00 per lb.

**GOLDEN SELF-BLANCHING.**—“American Grown.” A most valuable variety which partakes somewhat of the character of the celebrated White Plume, inasmuch as it does not require such high banking-up as the ordinary sort to be fit for the table. It simply needs a slight earthing-up of handling. It is a beautiful waxy, golden, color, very solid, and of a rich nutty flavor. 10c. per pkt.; 35c. per oz.; \$1.00 per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$3.75 per lb.

**EASY BLANCHING or EASY BLEACHER.—EXTRA STRAIN.**—A tall-growing white variety of excellent quality, of recent introduction. Bleaches readily with boards. Grows well both on muck and upland. It is not so susceptible to blight as other self-bleaching sorts and quality much better. It is becoming to be the best market variety to plant for profit. 10c. per pkt.; 50c. per oz.; \$1.50 per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$5.50 per lb.

**WINTER QUEEN.**—Late half dwarf Golden Heart type, of more robust growth. Very good late market sort. 10c. per pkt.; 25c. per oz.; 75c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$2.50 per lb.

**CELERY SEED.** for flavoring, 25c.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 75c. per lb.

## CELERY PLANTS.

READY JULY 10th.

8,000 to 10,000 plants to the acre.

Varieties same as list of seed above. Price, 50c. per 100; \$3.50 per 1,000; and 5,000 or over, \$3.00 per 1,000.

## CHICORY.

One ounce will sow 150 feet of drill.

**LARGE ROOTED.**—Used to mix with, or as a substitute for coffee. Cultivation the same as the carrot. 10c. per pkt.; 25c. per oz.; 75c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$2.50 per lb.

**WITLOOF CHICORY, or FRENCH ENDIVE.**—Sold on most all fruit and vegetable stands during winter. Drill seed 10 inches apart in June; let plants grow until November. Take up and trim to  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inches from neck, leaving 8 inches, then plant upright  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inches apart in trenches 16 inches deep. Fill trench with good soil and manure. In four weeks the Endive will be ready for use and is eaten either raw or cooked. 10c. per pkt.; 25c. per oz.; 85c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$2.50 per lb.

## CHERVIL.

One ounce to 150 feet of drill.

**CHERVIL CURLED.**—An aromatic sweet herb. The young leaves are used in soups and salads. Sow thinly in May, in drills half an inch deep, one foot apart. 10c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 35c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.00 per lb.

## CHIVES.

**CHIVES** (German, Schnitlauch).—A mild flavor of onion kind; very desirable greens for flavoring meats, soups, cottage cheese, etc. Sold in clumps, 10c. each; \$1.00 per dozen.

## CORN—Sweet.

**Notice.**—These prices are subject to change without notice.

One pound will plant 75 to 100 hills, according to the variety; 12 to 15 pounds will plant an acre; 150 lbs. will sow an acre broadcast for sowing, or half that quantity in drills; 8 to 12 pounds will plant an acre of yellow field Corn in hill; one-third more in drill.

All varieties of Sweet Corn may be either sown in three feet six inches to four feet apart, and the seeds planted at about ten inches in the rows, or planted in hills at distances of three or four feet each way, according to the variety grown or richness of the soil in which it is planted. The taller the variety, or richer the soil, the greater should be the distance apart. We make our first plantings in this vicinity about the middle of May, and continue successive planting for Sweet Sugar varieties every two or three weeks until the last week in July. In more southerly latitudes planting is begun a month earlier and continued a month later.

**HOWLING MOB.**—Ears measure from 7 to 9 inches in length. Ripens before Early Crosby's, grains are very white and sweet. Carries generally two ears to stalk and will prove a money-maker in the market. 20c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 14c. per lb.

**GOLDEN BANTAM.**—Dwarf good garden sort, of creamy yellow; very early; delicious flavor. 20c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 15c. per lb.

**GOLDEN GIANT.**—Taller variety than Golden Bantam. Matures early. Ears good length, filled from butt to tip. Kernels regular, heavy yielder, excellent quality. 20c. per lb.; 18c. per lb. in 10 lb. lots.

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**EARLY BURLINGTON.**—This is the earliest White Corn grown; ready for use in 60 days. Height of stalks, three to four feet, can be planted earlier than any Sweet Corn. 20c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 14c. per lb.

**EARLY CHAMPION.**—Ripens ahead of Crosby with much larger ears. 20c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 18c. per lb.

**EARLY EGYPTIAN.**—Second early, very productive, very good market gardening variety. 20c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 15c. per lb.; 100 lb. lots, \$12.00.

**EARLY KENDEL'S GIANT.**—One of the largest earliest Sweet Corn introduced. An extra market sort. 20c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 14c. per lb.

**EARLY PREMO.**—A distinct new type of an early Sweet Corn. It is as early as the Early White Corn. Ears larger and sweet. 20c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 14c. per lb.

**EARLY EVERGREEN.**—A Second Early, it has all the good qualities of Stowell's Evergreen. It is about eight days earlier; a little shorter in the ear. Quality of the best. 20c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 12c. per lb.

**HONEY DEW.**—Sweet popular Eastern variety. Exceptionally sweet; handsomely formed ears; very productive and medium early. 20c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 14c. per lb.

**MAMMOTH SUGAR.**—A late variety, and one of the larger; productive and fine flavored. 20c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 14c. per lb.

**SHOE PEG.**—A very sweet corn, well adopted for private garden use. 20c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 14c. per lb.

**BLACK SUGAR, MEXICAN.**—A variety with black grains; one of the sweetest of all kinds. 20c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 15c. per lb.

**STOWELL'S EVERGREEN.**—“Eastern Stock; sweetest strain known.” A late variety, of excellent quality, remaining longer in the green state than any other kind. 20c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 14c. per lb.; 100 lb. lots, 100 lb. lots, 15c. per lb.

**POP CORN, WHITE PEARL.**—20c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 15c. per lb.

**POP CORN, WHITE RICE.**—20c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 15c. per lb.

**THE COUNTRY GENTLEMEN** is, without doubt, the finest of all for private and market use, and greatly resembles the Shoe Peg, except the ears are twice as large, with an average of about nine inches in length, and is very productive, producing from three to four ears to a stalk. Cob is small, giving great depth to the kernels, which are of a pearly whiteness. Its fine quality makes it most desirable for the market gardener. 20c. per lb.; 10 lb. lots, 14c. per lb.

**GOLDEN DENT GOURD SEED.**—This is a very productive and superior variety; very early; requires less strength of ground, and makes a very fine quality of meal. The grains are very deep, with small cobs. It is a vigorous grower, and very popular in sections where the soils are light and sandy. 8c. per lb.; 25 lb. lots and over, 6c. per lb.

**IMPROVED LEAMING.**—The earliest, most productive and handsomest Yellow Dent corn in cultivation. 8c. per lb.; 25 lb. lots and over, 6c. per lb.

**LARGE YELLOW FLINT.**—Productive and of good quality. 8c. per lb.; 25 lb. lots and over, 6c. per lb.

**WOODHULL.**—One of the best standard sorts; light grain, large ear, medium size stalk, very productive. 8c. per lb.; 25 lb. lots and over, 6c. per lb.

### CORN SALAD, or FETTICUS.

*One ounce will sow 125 feet of row.*

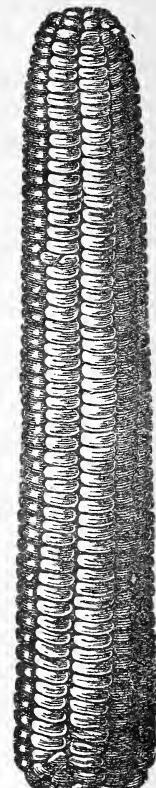
A vegetable used as a salad, and sold to a considerable extent in our markets. It is sown on the first opening of Spring, in rows one foot apart, and is fit for use in six or eight weeks from time of sowing. If wanted to come in early Spring, it is sown in September, covered up with straw or hay as soon as cold weather sets in, and is wintered over exactly as spinach.

**LARGE LEAVED.**—10c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 50c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.50 per lb.

### CRESS, or PEPPER GRASS.

*One ounce will sow 50 feet of row.*

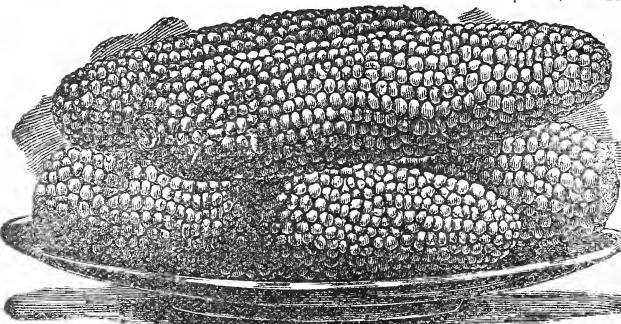
A well-known pungent salad. Requires to be sown thickly and covered very lightly at frequent intervals to keep up a succession as it soon runs to seed.



LARGE YELLOW FLINT.

**EXTRA CURLED.**—Very fine; may be cut two or three times. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 25c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 75c. per lb.

**WATER CRESS.**—10c. per pkt.; 50c. per oz.; \$1.50 per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$5.00 per lb.



COUNTRY GENTLEMAN.

### CORN—Field.

*Subject to market fluctuations.*

**SOUTHERN LARGE WHITE ENSILAGE.**—For fodder only; a very rapid grower and heavy foliage; one of the best silo corns. 8c. per lb.; 25 lb. lots and over, 6c. per lb.

**BRISTOL EARLY.**—A good, standard, early yellow corn. 8c. per lb.; 25 lb. lots and over, 5c. per lb.

**GOLDEN BEAUTY.**—The ears are of perfect shape, with from ten to sixteen straight rows of bright golden grains of the largest size, which are filled out to the extreme end of the cob; it is easily shelled, and is in every respect seemingly a perfect type; it is a vigorous grower, attaining eight to ten feet in height, and each stalk produces from two to three ears; matures as early as most varieties of Golden Dent, and surpasses all in size, appearance and productiveness. 8c. per lb.; 25 lb. lots and over, 6c. per lb.



LARGE LEAVED.

### CUCUMBER.

*One ounce will plant 50 hills, two pounds will plant an acre.*

Cucumbers succeed best in warm, moist, rich, loamy ground. They should not be planted in the open air until there is a prospect of settled warm weather. Plant in hills about four feet apart each way. The hills should be previously prepared by mixing thoroughly with the soil of each a shovelful of well-rotted manure. When all danger from insects is past, thin out the plants, leaving three or four of the strongest to each hill. The fruit should be plucked when large enough, whether required for use or not, as if left to ripen on the vines, it destroys its productiveness.

**EARLY FORTUNE.**—Early, dark color, and prolific. Fruit averages about 10 inches in length. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 40c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.25 per lb.

**EARLY IMPROVED WHITE SPINE.**—A favorite market variety of medium size, deep green, flesh crisp and of fine flavor. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 35c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.00 per lb.

**EARLY IMPROVED ARLINGTON WHITE SPINE.**—It is a week earlier than the Early improved White, wonderfully prolific. It retains a beautiful green color longer than any other sort; size, medium; an elegant slicing sort. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 35c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.00 per lb.

**FORDHOOK FAMOUS.**—It is said to be the finest flavor of all, most beautiful and best long Green Cucumber upon the market. Vines produce an enormous crop, being of unusually vigorous growth, with large, thick, heavy leaves, which withstand the attacks of insects. Fruit perfectly smooth and *very dark green and handsome*. Fruits measure 12 to 18 inches long. They are always straight, never turn yellow, and are very solid. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 40c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.25 per lb.

**COOL AND CRISP "New".**—A very good variety for general house use. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 35c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.00 per lb.

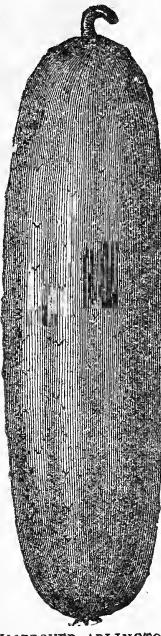
**GREEN PROLIFIC.**—A good pickling sort. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 35c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.00 per IMPROVED ARLINGTON lb.

**NEW DAVIS PERFECT.**—Resembles a hot-house cucumber. Long, straight, dark green in color; almost seedless. Equally good for outdoors and hot-house growing. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 40c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.25 per lb.

**EARLY CLUSTER.**—A much-esteemed early sort; growing in clusters, and extremely productive. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 40c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.25 per lb.

**BOSTON PICKLING.**—It is largely used about Boston by market gardeners. A very productive kind, of superior quality. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 35c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.00 per lb.

**LONG GREEN, OR JERSEY PICKLE.**—A fine, long fruit, of excellent quality, dark green, firm and crisp; very productive. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 40c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.25 per lb.



DAVIS PERFECT.

**LONG GREEN TURKEY.**—Late, dark green, excellent fruit, large and productive. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 40c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.50 per lb.

**WEST INDIA GHERKIN, or BUR.**—Used only for pickles. 5c. per pkt.; 20c. per oz.; 50c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.75 per lb.

#### DANDELION.

*One ounce will sow 150-foot row.*

**IMPROVED THICK LEAVED.**—A very early and healthful Spring salad. Sow early in the Spring, in drills, eighteen inches apart, and thin out to six inches in the drills. 10c. per pkt.; 75c. per oz.; \$2.50 per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$9.00 per lb.

#### DILL HERB.

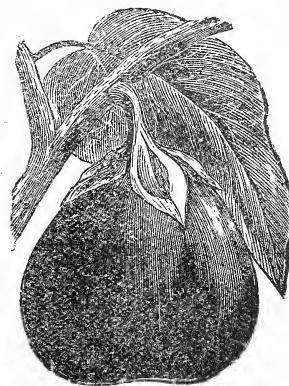
Used extensively for culinary use and for putting with cucumbers when pickling, producing the famous Dill Pickles. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 35c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.25 per lb.

#### EGG PLANT.

*One ounce will produce about 1,000 plants.*

The Egg Plant will thrive well in any good garden soil, but will repay good treatment. The seed should be sown in hot-beds the second week in March, care being taken to protect the young plants from cold at night. Plant out about June 1st, about two and a half feet apart. If no hot-bed is at hand, sufficient plants may be raised for a small garden by sowing a few seeds in common flower pots or boxes in the house.

**IMPROVED NEW YORK SPINELESS.**—In every respect superior to the New York Improved. The habit of the plant is low and branching, and is quite free from spines both on the plant and calyx of the fruit, which are of the largest size and most perfect form. It is earlier than either of the old varieties, therefore most valuable to the grower of this delicious vegetable. 10c. per pkt.; 40c. per oz.; \$1.35 per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$5.00 per lb.



BLACK BEAUTY.

**EARLY BLACK BEAUTY.**—Earlier than any other sort. Fruit jet black, holding its black color during its maturing season. Very productive, with uniform size fruit. 10c. per pkt.; 40c. per oz.; \$1.35 per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$5.00 per lb.

**THORNLESS, LARGE ROUND PURPLE.**—Used both for private and market garden. An imposing variety; productive, vigorous, good in quality, often reaching a weight of twelve pounds. 10c. per pkt.; 40c. per oz.; \$1.35 per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$5.00 per lb.

#### EGG PLANTS (Pot Grown).

*(Ready May 1st.)*

**IMPROVED NEW YORK SPINELESS.**—In pots, 10c. each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.00 per 100. Out of seed-beds, 35c. per doz.; \$1.75 per 100.

Boxed plants 10c. each; \$1.00 per doz. Special prices on application, in quantities.

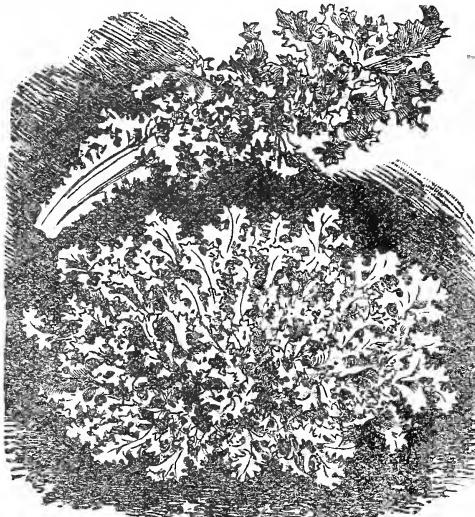
#### ENDIVE.

*One ounce will sow a 100-foot row.*

Endive is one of the best salads for Fall and Winter use. Sow for an early supply about the middle of April. As it is used mostly in the Fall months, the main sowings are made in June and July, from which plantations are formed one foot apart in each way, in August and September. It requires no special soil or manure, and after planting is kept clear of weeds until the plant has obtained its full size, when the process of blanching begins. This is effected by gathering up the leaves and tying them by their tips in a conical form, with bass matting. This excludes the light and air from the inner leaves, which in the course of from three to six weeks, according to the temperature at the time, become blanched. Another and simpler method consists in covering up the plants as they grow with slate or boards, which serves the same purpose—by excluding the light—as the tying up.

**GREEN CURLED.**—Very hardy; leaves dark green; tender and crisp. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 35c. per 1/4 lb.; \$1.00 per lb.

**FRENCH MOSS CURLED.**—From the density of its foliage, this variety is heavier than the Green Curled, equally agreeable as a salad, and either green or blanched is particularly handsome. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 35c. per 1/4 lb.; \$1.00 per lb.



MOSS CURLED.

**BATAVIAN BROAD LEAVED, or ESCAROLLE.**—Leaves broad, light green, nearly plain, used in stews and soups. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 35c. per 1/4 lb.; \$1.00 per lb.

**WHITE CURLED.**—Leaves pale green; grows to a large size; always crisp and very tender. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 50c. per 1/4 lb.; \$1.75 per lb.

**ESCAROLLE.**—Broad, thick ribs, with slightly wrinkled leaves. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 35c. per 1/4 lb.; \$1.00 per lb.

#### FENNEL HERB.

Annual, height, 2 feet; fine feathery foliage. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 40c. per 1/4 lb.; \$1.50 per lb.

#### GARLIC.

Used for flavoring soups, stews and other dishes. Garlic thrives best in a light, well-enriched soil. The sets should be planted in early Spring, in rows one foot apart, and from one to five inches between the plants in the rows. The crop matures in August, when it is harvested like the onion.

**GARLIC SETS.**—25c. per lb.

#### HERBS.

##### SWEET POT AND MEDICINAL HERBS.

No garden is complete without a few Herbs for culinary and medicinal purposes, and care should be taken to harvest them properly. This should be done on a dry day, just before they come in full bloom, then dried quickly and packed closely, entirely excluded from the air. Sow in the Spring, in shallow drills, one foot apart, and when well up thin out or transplant to a proper distance apart.

**ANISE (*Pimpinella Anisum*).**—Biennial. 10c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; \$1.25 per lb.

**BASIL SWEET (*Ocimum Basilicum*).**—Annual, 1 ft. 10c. per pkt.; 25c. per oz.; \$2.50 per lb.

**BORAGE (*Borago Officinalis*).**—Excellent for bees. Annual, 3 ft. 10c. per pkt.; 25c. per oz.; \$1.75 per lb.

**CARAWAY (*Carum Carai*).**—Perennial, 2 ft. 10c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; \$1.00 per lb.

**CASTOR OIL PLANT (*Ricinus Communis*).**—Annual, 6 ft. 10c. per pkt.; 20c. per oz.; \$1.50 per lb.

**CORIANDER (*Coriandrum Sativum*).**—Annual, 2 ft. 10c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; \$1.00 per lb.

**DILL (*Anethum Graveolens*).**—Biennial, 3 ft. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; \$1.25 per lb.

**FENNEL (*Anethum Foeniculum*).**—Perennial, 6 ft. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; \$1.50 per lb.

**HOPS SEED (*Humulus Impulus*).**—10c. per pkt.; 35c. per oz.; \$1.25 per 1/4 lb.; \$4.00 per lb.

**HOREHOUND (*Marubium Vulgare*).**—Perennial, 2 ft. 10c. per pkt.; 25c. per oz.; \$3.00 per lb.

**LAVENDER (*Lavendula Spica*).**—Perennial, 2 ft. 10c. per pkt.; 25c. per oz.; \$3.00 per lb.

**MARJORAM, SWEET (*Origanum Marjorana*).**—Annual, 1 ft. 10c. per pkt.; 25c. per oz.; \$3.00 per lb.

**ROSEMARY (*Rosmarinus Officinalis*).**—An aromatic herb. 10c. per pkt.

**RUE (*Ruta Graveolens*).**—Perennial, 3 ft. 10c. per pkt.; 25c. per oz.

**SAFFRON.**—10c. per pkt.; 25c. per oz.

**SAGE (*Salvia Officinalis*).**—Annual, 1 ft. 10c. per pkt.; 40c. per oz.; \$4.50 per lb.

**SUMMER SAVORY (*Satureia Hortensis*).**—Annual, 1 ft. 10c. per pkt.; 30c. per oz.; \$3.00 per lb.

**THYME, BROAD-LEAVED (*Thymus Vulgaris*).**—Perennial, 1 ft. 10c. per pkt.; 50c. per oz.; \$6.00 per lb.

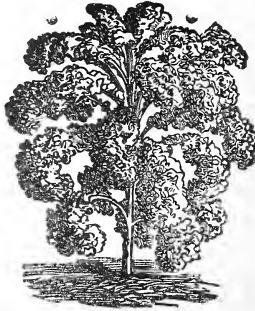
**WORMWOOD (*Artemesia Absinthium*).**—Perennial. 10c. per pkt.; 30c. per oz.; \$3.00 per lb.

#### KALE, or BORECOLE.

*One ounce will produce about 2,500 plants.*

Kale or borecole may be grown in almost any soil, but the richer it is the more abundant the product. Sow from the middle of April to the beginning of May, in prepared beds, covering the seeds thinly and evenly; transplant in June, and treat in the same manner as for cabbage. Of all the cabbage tribe, this is the most tender and delicate, and would be much more extensively grown than it is if its excellent qualities were generally known. The varieties are all extremely hardy, and are best when touched by frost.

**GREEN CURLED SCOTCH.**—A rather dwarf variety, growing about eighteen inches in height, but spreading under good cultivation to three in diameter. Leaves of a bright green, beautifully curved. 10c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 50c. per 1/4 lb.; \$1.50 per lb.



GREEN CURLED SCOTCH.

**DWARF GERMAN GREEN.**—10c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 35c. per 1/4 lb.; \$1.00 per lb.

**SIBERIAN CURLED.**—This variety grows a little larger and coarser than the preceding. The leaves are not so deeply curled, and are of a bluish-green color. Very hardy. 10c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 50c. per 1/4 lb.; \$1.50 per lb.

#### KOHL—RABI.

*One ounce will produce about 2,500 plants.*

A vegetable intermediate between the Cabbage and the Turnip. It is best cultivated by sowing the seed in rows in May, June and July, according to the latitude. In this district we sow through June for succession, in rows eighteen inches apart, thinning out to eight inches between the plants. It is rather difficult to transplant, and it is generally preferable to sow the whole crop from the seed and thin out where it stands, although when the weather is favorable the thinnings may be planted at the distance above named.



WHITE VIENNA.

**EARLY WHITE VIENNA.**—Flesh white and tender. The best market sort. Excellent for table use. 10c. per pkt.; 20c. per oz.; 60c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$2.00 per lb.

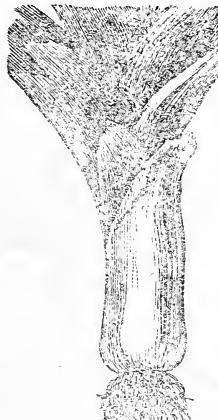
**EARLY PURPLE VIENNA.**—Different from the above in color, which is of a bluish-purple. 10c. per pkt.; 20c. per oz.; 60c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$2.00 per lb.

### LEEK.

*One ounce will sow a drill of about 100 feet.*

The Leek is very hardy and easily cultivated. It succeeds best in light, but well enriched soil. Sow as early in Spring as practicable, in drills one inch deep and one foot apart. When six or eight inches high, they may be transplanted in rows ten inches apart each way, as deep as possible, that the neck, being covered, may be blanched. If fine Leeks are desired, the ground can hardly be made too rich.

**LARGE AMERICAN FLAG.**—A favorite market variety. 10c. per pkt.; 20c. per oz.; 65c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$2.00 per lb.



AMERICAN FLAG.

### LETTUCE.

*One ounce will sow about 100-foot row.*

The cultivation of Lettuce is universal by all who have gardens, and from its tractable nature and freedom from nearly all insects and disease, it is manageable in the hands of everyone. For main early crop, seed may be sown in the open ground, middle of September, and transplanted to cold-frames as soon as large enough to handle, being wintered over in the same manner as early Cabbage. In dry, well sheltered spots, by covering up with leaves or litter, late in the season. Lettuce plants may be saved over Winter without glass covering, in southern parts of the country, without difficulty. The plants for setting out in the Spring are also sown in

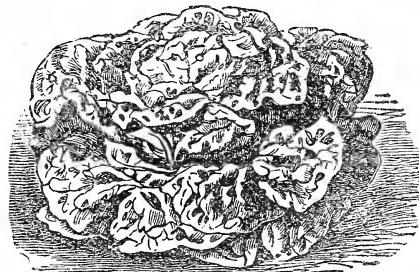
cold-frames in February and in hot-beds in March, and by carefully covering up at night, makes plants to set out in April; but these are never so good as those wintered over. For successive crops, sowings may be made in the open ground as early as Spring opens, until July.

**WAYAHAD.**—Quality very fine, heads firm, excellent for both cold frames and open ground. It is the surest header of all lettuce. Outer leaves are light green, center blanches nicely. It will stand longer than any other lettuce before going to seed. 5c. per pkt.; 20c. per oz.; 40c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.25 per lb.

**MAY KING.**—An early hardy lettuce. One of the best varieties to plant in Fall for under-glass or early Spring forcing. Heads large and solid; of light green color; close outer leaves; one of the best market sorts. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 35c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.00 per lb.

**EARLY FORCING.**—So named because of its adaptability for forcing under glass, forming crisp, hard heads before any other known sort has commenced to head. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 40c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.25 per lb.

**BIG BOSTON.**—This variety is identical in color, shape and general appearance with the famous Boston Market Lettuce, but it is double the size. It is about a week later in maturing, but its solidity and greater size of head will make it a most desirable sort. A most desirable variety either for forcing or open-ground planting. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 35c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.00 per lb.



BIG BOSTON.

**EARLY CURLLED SILESIA.**—This variety, properly speaking, does not head, but forms a compact, close mass of leaves. The earliest and leading market sort. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 35c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.00 per lb.

**SIMPSON, BLACK SEEDED CURLLED.**—Large, loose, curly head, light color, good early sort. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 40c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.25 per lb.

**BOSTON MARKET.**—(True.) A superb variety. Grows very compact, and is beautifully white and crisp. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 40c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.25 per lb.

**GRAND RAPIDS CURLLED.**—A famous shipping Lettuce, loose, curly-headed, forcing sort. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 40c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.25 per lb.

**LARGE NEW YORK or LOS ANGELES WONDER-FUL.**—It is of unusual size and solidity of head, mostly as solid as an early Summer Cabbage, which in general form it somewhat resembles. The variety blanches itself naturally, is crisp, tender and of excellent flavor, and always free from bitterness. It is not a forcing variety, but is one of the best for Summer use ever introduced. 5c. per pkt.; 20c. per oz.; 60c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$2.00 per lb.

**LARGEST OF ALL.**—A very showy sort, being a very large green cabbagging variety; heads well formed and monstrous in size. Altogether desirable, both for family use and market garden. Truckers can adopt it with confidence, as it is sure to sell on its own merits. 5c. per pkt.; 20c. per oz.; 60c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$2.00 per lb.

**PHILADELPHIA DUTCH BUTTER HEAD.**—A very reliable heading variety. Slow to shoot to seed, and of superior quality, highly recommended. The leaves are dotted with dusty freckles. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 40c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.25 per lb.

**ROMAINE OR PARIS WHITE COS.**—Forms long, upright heads of narrow leaves, which are crisp and refreshing; withstands the summer heat. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 40c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.25 per lb.

**ICEBERG.**—A large, hard-heading, curled variety, very crisp. 5c. per pkt.; 20c. per oz.; 60c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.50 per lb.

**SALAMANDER.**—The Salamander is the best variety for Summer use, forming good-sized, compact heads. Color, light green outside, and white on the inside. Its great merit, however, is that it will withstand drought and heat, and remain longer in head than any other variety. 5c. per pkt.; 20c. per oz.; 60c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.50 per lb.

**BLACK SEEDED BUTTER.**—Similar to Tennis Ball, but larger in all its parts. Used exclusively as an out-door variety. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 40c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.25 per lb.

**MANGEL-WURZEL or CATTLE BEETS.**  
"See under Head of Beets."

#### MARTYNIA.

*One ounce will sow about a 150-foot row.*

The seed pods are used, to a considerable extent, for pickling, when gathered green and tender. Sow in the open ground, in May, transplant about two feet apart.

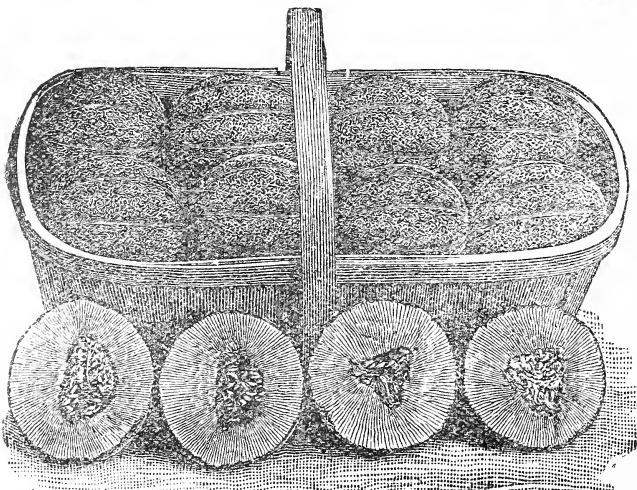
**MARTYNA PROBOSCIDEA.**—5c. per pkt.; 20c. per oz.; 75c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$2.50 per lb.

#### MELON—Musk.

*One ounce will plant about 75 hills; two pounds will plant an acre.*

Melons thrive best in moderately enriched light soil. The hills should be six feet apart each way. Previous to planting, incorporate well with the soil in each hill a couple of shovelfuls of thoroughly rotted manure. Plant twelve to fifteen seeds in each hill early in May, and when well up, thin out to three or four of the most promising. Pinch off the leading shoots as the growth becomes too luxuriant, and if the fruit sets out numerously, thin out when young, which will increase the size of those remaining, and cause them to ripen quicker.

**FORDHOOK.**—Orange flesh roughly netted, the flesh very thick, resembles Jenny Lind in shape. Vine strong, vigorous grower, branching, frequently setting five to nine melons close to hill. 15c. per oz.; 40c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.25 per lb.



ROCKY FORD.

**ROCKY FORD.**—(The Great Colorado Nutmeg Melon.) Nutmeg shape, small to medium in size, pale green, finely netted, flesh green, quality very fine. 15c. per oz.; 40c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.25 per lb.

**PAUL ROSE, or OSAGE.**—This salmon-fleshed Musk Melon surpasses anything yet introduced. The color is of a beautiful netted gray underlaid by dark green rind; the flavor is delicious; flesh, salmon, very thick and extraordinarily sweet; size of the Netted Gem. 15c. per oz.; 40c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.25 per lb.

**JENNY LIND.**—True. The earliest of the Musk Melons, of small size, but the sweetest in flavor. 15c. per oz.; 40c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.25 per lb.

**GOLDEN JENNY.**—Small, but highly prized by the most experienced growers of Melons. 15c. per oz.; 40c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.25 per lb.

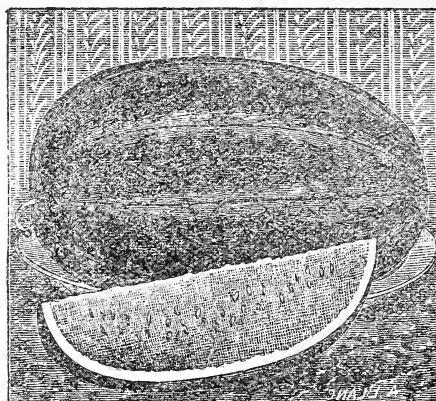
**EXTRA EARLY HACKENSACK.**—A week to ten days earlier than the old Hackensack. Small foliage. Profitable for market. Most in demand in New York and Eastern markets. 15c. per oz.; 40c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.25 per lb.

**HACKENSACK OR TURK'S CAP.**—The most popular variety of Musk Melon grown by New York market gardeners. It attains a large size, is round in shape, flattened at the ends, is of a most delicious flavor, and wonderfully productive. 15c. per oz.; 40c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.25 per lb.

**CITRON.**—(Preserve.) A round handsome fruit, of small size, used in making sweet-meats, and preserves. 15c. per oz.; 40c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.25 per lb.

**MILLER'S CREAM.**—The flesh is of a rich salmon color, very thick, sweet and melting in quality. The rind is very thin and finely netted, resembling in shape the Pineapple. 15c. per oz.; 40c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.50 per lb.

#### MELON—Water.



TOM WATSON.

*One pound will plant from 50 to 75 hills.*

Cultivate exactly as for Musk Melon, except that the hills should be just double the distance apart, namely, eight and ten feet.

**KLECKLEY SWEET.**—Most popular Melon for home market. Medium size, oblong; dark green color; flesh bright scarlet; solid heart; crisp, sugary, and entirely free from stringiness. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 30c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 75c. per lb.

**TOM WATSON.**—Large, oblong melon, dark green skin, with thick netting; rind thin, tough; flesh bright red, very sweet. 10c. per oz.; 30c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 75c. per lb.

**DIXIE.**—Large, dark rind Melon, oblong; quality good; an excellent market sort. 10c. per oz.; 30c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 75c. per lb.

**LONG LIGHT ICING OR GRAY MONARCH.**—A very large, long, light rind Melon; flesh crimson. 10c. per oz.; 30c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 75c. per lb.

**CUBAN QUEEN.**—A Melon of mammoth size, reaching over 60 lbs. in weight. The quality is equal to the best of any of the sorts. 10c. per oz.; 25c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 75c. per lb.

**MOUNTAIN SWEET.**—Fruit oblong, dark green; rind thin; flesh red, solid and very sweet. 10c. per oz.; 30c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 75c. per lb.

**ICING, DARK GREEN RIND.**—Shape, size and flavor same as Light Icing, but dark skin. 10c. per oz.; 30c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 75c. per lb.

**COLE'S EARLY.**—Very hardy; sure cropper. Flesh dark red, delicate and extremely sweet; medium size, nearly round; rind green, striped with lighter shades. 10c. per oz.; 30c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 75c. per lb.

**ICING, LIGHT GREEN RIND.**—One of the best of all Melons. Always of good flavor; rind very thin; unexcelled in all good qualities. Round in shape. 10c. per oz.; 35c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.00 per lb.

**KOLB'S GEM.**—A new, chunky, dark-seeded Melon. Quality good. Very showy and an excellent shipper. 10c. per oz.; 35c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 75c. per lb.

**SWEET HEART.**—One of the best market Melons. Flesh bright red, solid and very tender, melting and sweet. The Melons retain their good quality for a long time after ripening. 10c. per oz.; 30c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 75c. per lb.

**ICE CREAM.**—White seeded true. Fruit of medium size, nearly round, skin pale green, rind very thin; flesh scarlet, solid, crisp and delicious. 10c. per oz.; 30c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.00 per lb.

### MUSHROOM SPAWN.

Ten pounds will spawn ten feet square.

Mushrooms may be cultivated much easier than is generally supposed. They can be grown in a cellar or shed or in beds prepared in the open air same as hot-beds. Take fresh horse manure, shake it well apart and lay it in a heap to ferment, turn and mix it well every three or four days by shaking the outside of the heap, which is cold, and the inside, which is hot, together, so that every part of it may be equally fermented and deprived of its noxious qualities. When the dung is in a fit state to be made into a bed, which will be from two to three weeks after it has been put together to ferment, select a dry spot for a foundation, mark out the bed, which should be four feet wide and as long as you may choose to make it. In forming the bed mix the dung well together, beating it down with a fork until from 18 to 24 inches thick. In this State it may remain until the temperature is sufficiently moderate for spawning, which may be ascertained by trial sticks thrust in different parts of the bed.



ENGLISH SPAWN.

Divide the large cakes of Spawn into small lumps, plant them two inches below the surface and six inches apart, covering with two inches of fine, light soil, and press down evenly. When finished, cover the bed three inches thick with clean straw and protect from heavy rains. The mushrooms will make their appearance in from four to six weeks, according to the season.

Special pamphlet furnished on application.

**AMERICAN SPAWN.**—Pure culture. 35c. per lb. Brick form.

### MUSTARD.

One ounce will sow a 100-foot row.

A pungent salad, used sometimes with cress. Sow thickly in rows and cut when about two inches high. For use during Winter it may be sown at intervals in boxes in the greenhouse or in a frame. For a crop of seed sow in April, in drills a foot apart, and thin out moderately when about three inches high.

**WHITE LONDON.**—Best for salad. 5c. per oz.; 15c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 50c. per lb.

**BROWN OR BLACK.**—More pungent in flavor than the white. 5c. per oz.; 15c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 50c. per lb.

### NASTURTIUM, OR INDIAN CRESSE.

One ounce will sow 25-foot row.

The seeds, while young and succulent, are pickled and used as capers. The plants are also highly ornamental; the tall variety makes an excellent screen or covering for unsightly places in the garden.

**TALL NASTURTIUM.**—Choice colors. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 25c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 75c. per lb.

**DWARF NASTURTIUM.**—Choice colors. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 25c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 75c. per lb.

### OKRA, or GUMBO.

One ounce will plant 50 hills or 75-foot drill.

This vegetable is extensively grown in the Southern States. Its long pods, when young, are used in soups, stews, etc., and are believed to be very nutritious. It is of the easiest culture, and grows freely, bearing abundantly in any ordinary garden soil. It is sown at the usual time of all tender vegetables, in drills two inches deep, setting the plants from two to three feet apart.

**IMPROVED DWARF GREEN.**—Early and productive. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 20c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 60c. per lb.



LONG GREEN.

**LONG GREEN.**—Long ribbed pods. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 20c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 60c. per lb.

### ONION.

One ounce will plant 50 hills or 75-foot drill. Five pounds will sow an acre. For growing Large Onions, 50 to 60 pounds per acre for growing sets.

The Onion thrives best in a rather strong, deep, rich, loamy soil, and, unlike most vegetables, succeeds well when cultivated on the same ground for successive years. The ground should be deeply trenched and manured the previous Autumn, and laid up in ridges during Winter to soften. As early in Spring as the ground is in working order, commence operations by leveling the ground with a rake and tread it firmly; sow thinly in drills about a quarter of an inch deep and one foot apart; cover with fine soil and press down with the back of a spade or a light roller.

When the young plants are strong enough, thin gradually, so that they stand three or four inches apart. Keep the surface of the ground open and free from weeds by frequent hoeing, taking care not to stir the soil too deeply or to collect it about the growing bulbs.

**AILSA CRAIG.**—The largest of all straw-yellow onions. It is globe shaped, slightly pointed at top and base. 10c. per pkt.; 35c. per oz.; \$1.00 per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$3.50 per lb.

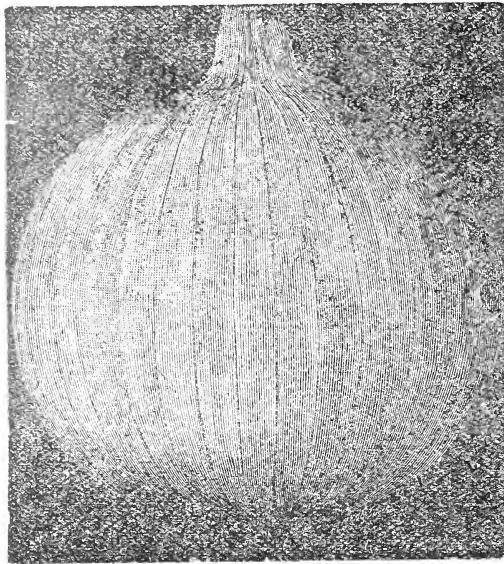
**EXTRA EARLY RED.**—The earliest Red Onion, fine keeper. 10c. per pkt.; 20c. per oz.; 65c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.75 per lb.

**EARLY PRIZE TAKER.**—This Onion grows uniform in shape, of a nearly perfect globe, with thin skin, of a clean, bright straw color. It is of immense size, measuring from twelve to sixteen inches in circumference while under special cultivation specimens have been raised to weigh from four to six pounds. 10c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 50c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.75 per lb.

**SOUTHPORT WHITE GLOBE.**—A handsome globular Onion, of mild flavor and a good keeper; one of the very best. 10c. per pkt.; 25c. per oz.; 75c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$2.25 per lb.

**OHIO YELLOW GLOBE.**—Rich orange in color; large, globe shape; flat bottom. Large yielder; also a good keeper. One of the best market sort. 10c. per pkt.; 20c. per oz.; 65c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.75 per lb.

**SOUTHPORT RED GLOBE.**—Differs from the Southport Yellow Globe only in color. 10c. per pkt.; 20c. per oz.; 65c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.75 per lb.



YELLOW GLOBE DANVERS.

**YELLOW GLOBE DANVERS.**—An excellent variety fine flavored and very productive. Ripens early and is a good keeper. 10c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 50c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.50 per lb.

**WHITE PORTUGAL, OR SILVER SKIN.**—A handsome Onion, of mild flavor, but not a good keeper. Extensively grown for pickling. 10c. per pkt.; 25c. per oz.; 75c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$2.00 per lb.

**WEATHERSFIELD LARGE RED.**—The staple variety of the Eastern Onion growers. Of large size, deep in color, and an excellent keeper. 10c. per pkt.; 20c. per oz.; 65c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.75 per lb.

**SOUTHPORT YELLOW GLOBE.**—A favorite Yellow Globe variety in the markets of New York and Boston. Solid and a good keeper. 10c. per pkt.; 20c. per oz.; 50c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.75 per lb.

**YELLOW DUTCH, OR STRASBURG.**—One of the oldest varieties. The "Silver Skin" of the Eastern States. A good keeper and well flavored. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 50c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.25 per lb.; \$1.15 per lb. for 5 lbs. or more.

#### ONION SETS, EXTRA FINE.

32 pounds standard weight for a bushel of onion sets.

Subject to Market Fluctuation.

Yellow—15c. per lb.; 10c. per lb., in 32 lb. lots.

Red—20c. per lb.; 15c. per lb in 32-lb. lots.

White—20c. per lb.; 15c. per lb. in 32 lb. lots.

#### PARSLEY.

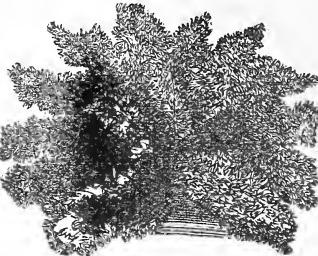
One ounce will sow 125-foot row.

Parsley succeeds best in rich, mellow soil. As the seeds germinate very slowly, there are four weeks elapsing sometimes before it makes its appearance; it should be sown early in Spring, previously soaking the seeds a few hours in tepid water. Sow thickly in rows a foot apart and a half inch deep. For Winter's use protect in a frame or light cellar.

**CHAMPION MOSS CURLLED.**—A very select stock, beautifully crimped and curled. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 25c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 75c. per lb.

**HAMBURG, OR TURNIP ROOTED.**—The edible roots resemble a small parsnip, and it is esteemed for flavoring soups, stews, etc. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 25c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 75c. per lb.

**DOUBLE CURLLED.**—A fine dwarf variety, beautifully curled. Excellent for garnishing. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 25c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 75c. per lb.



DOUBLE CURLLED.

**PLAIN PARSLEY.**—The leaves of this sort are plain; it is harder than the curled variety; good for flavoring. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 25c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 75c. per lb.

#### PARSNIP.

One ounce will sow 125-foot drill. Five pounds will sow an acre.

Sow as early in the Spring as the weather will admit, in drills fifteen inches apart, covering half an inch deep. When well up, thin out to five or six inches apart in the rows. Unlike carrots, they are improved by frosts, and it is usual to take up in the Fall a certain quantity for Winter use, leaving the rest in the ground until Spring, to be dug up as required.

**LONG SMOOTH, OR HOLLOW CROWN.**—Best for general use. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 25c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 65c. per lb.

**THE STUDENT.**—A fine-flavored variety. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 25c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 75c. per lb.

**GURNSEY.**—Half-long; becoming very popular. 10c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 25c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 75c. per lb.

#### PEAS.

60 pounds to the bushel.

One pound will plant about 50-foot row, 60 to 90 pounds will plant an acre.

Peas come earliest to maturity in light, rich soil. For general crops a deep, rich loam or a strong inclination to clay is best. For early crops, decomposed leaves or leaf-mold should be used; or, if the soil is very poor, stronger manure may be employed. For general crops, a good dressing should be applied, and for the dwarf-growing kinds the soil can hardly be too rich. When grown as a market crop, Peas are never staked, and are sown in single rows, two or three inches deep and from three to four feet apart, according to the variety or the strength of the soil. When grown in small quantities, for private use, they are generally sown in double rows, six or eight inches apart, and the tall varieties are staked up by brush. For an early crop, sow in March, as soon as the ground can be worked, and make repeated sowings every two weeks for succession. After the first of June sowing should be discontinued until the middle of August, when a good crop can sometimes be secured by sowing an early sort.

Special price given on 100 lb. lots.

**PILOT.**—A large nearly smooth pea. Can be sown along with Alaska and early Peas. Will produce a pod as big as Gradus and from three days to a week earlier. 8c.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 30c. per lb.; 10. lbs. \$2.30; 100 lbs. \$20.

**LAXTONIA.**—Vines 18 to 20 inches high, produces an enormous crop of delicious peas just a little later than "Gradus." Vines are vigorous and can withstand adverse weather conditions easier than other large varieties. 10c.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 30c. per lb.; 10 lbs., \$2.30; 100 lbs., \$20.

**BLUE BANTAM.**—Extra early dwarf wrinkle Pea. Averages 15 inches high, bears enormous crops, pods deep bluish green, pods  $4\frac{1}{2}$  inches long, bear 8 to 10 peas. Pods twice the size of American Wonder and ready to pick at same time. 10c.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 30c. per lb.; 10 lbs., \$2.30; 100 lbs., \$20.

**EARLY THOMAS LAXTON.**—This fine early Pea was raised by crossing "Gradus" (Prosperity) with a very early seedling of the "Earliest of All" type. It is a wrinkled marrow with a good constitution. In earliness it is within a day or two of "Earliest of All," but pods contain on the average 7 or 8 very large peas of the richest flavor. The height is from 3 to 3½ feet. As a first early we consider this is the Finest Early Pea ever introduced. 10c. ¼ lb.; 30c. lb.; 10 lbs., \$2.30; 100 lbs., \$20.

**EARLY ALASKA.**—A green seeded extra early sweet Pea. Very desirable. Green, smooth Pea. 8c. ¼ lb.; 25c. lb.; 10 lbs., \$1.80; 100 lbs., \$15.

**EARLY McLEAN'S ADVANCER.**—An early green, wrinkled variety; delicious flavor; 2 feet. 10c. ¼ lb.; 25c. per lb.; 10 lbs., \$2.00; 100 lbs., \$18.

**EARLY PREMIUM GEM.**—Early, hardy, prolific, uniform in habit of growth, pods borne singly on both sides of the stalk beginning near the ground; peas of the finest flavor; about a week later than Nott's Excelsior. Seed green, wrinkled and sweet; height, 16 inches. 10c. ¼ lb.; 25c. lb.; 10 lbs., \$2; 100 lbs., \$18.

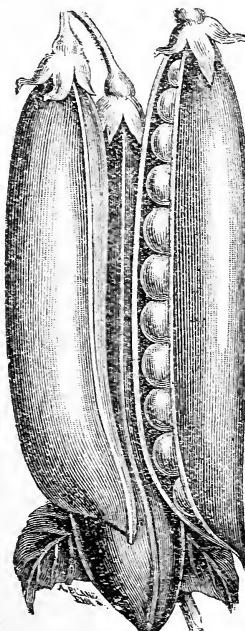
**EARLY NOTT'S EXCELSIOR.**—Extra early dwarf wrinkle Pea. Ready for table in 40 to 50 days from planting. It grows 16 inches high, about half as tall again as American Wonder. Its even, regular habit is a great advantage to the market gardeners. This variety has come to stay, owing to its superior advantages over all other sorts. 10c. ¼ lb.; 30c. lb.; 10 lbs., \$2.30; 100 lbs., \$18.

**EARLY GRADUS, OR PROSPERITY.**—A first early Wrinkle Pea, very hardy, vigorous grower, 2½ feet high; pods very large and well filled; six to eight large Sweet Peas in a pod. The great value of Gradus is its earliness. It is in the market four days after the first early. 10c. ¼ lb.; 30c. lb.; 10 lbs., \$2.30; 100 lbs., \$20.

**EARLY FIRST AND BEST.**—A very early and productive variety, resembling the Philadelphia Extra Early; white, smooth Pea. 8c. ¼ lb.; 25c. per lb.; 10 lbs., \$1.80; 100 lbs., \$15.

**EARLY AMERICAN WONDER.**—It is one of the early wrinkled Peas; of the finest quality and wonderfully productive; its great distinctive feature, however, is its compact and dwarf growth, seldom exceeding 12 inches in height. 10c. ¼ lb.; 30c. lb.; 10 lbs., \$2.30; 100 lbs., \$18.

**SECOND EARLY HEROINE.**—A medium early Wrinkle Pea of medium height; pod large; very productive; of excellent flavor. 10c. ¼ lb.; 30c. per lb.; 10 lbs., \$2.30; 100 lbs., \$20.



GRADUS.

**SECOND EARLY JUNO.**—A medium early green wrinkled Pea and one of the best of recent introduction; large, curved, showy pods; an immense cropper; Peas of fine quality; 2 to 2½ feet. 10c. ¼ lb.; 30c. lb.; 10 lbs., \$2.50; 100 lbs., \$18.

**LITTLE MARVEL.**—A new dwarf first early pea, good market garden variety, vine averages 15 inches in height, pods 2½ inches in length, frequently born in pairs, and contain from 6 to 7 large dark green peas which remain in good eatable shape for a week later than most other varieties. 10c. ¼ lb.; 30c. per lb.; 10 lbs., \$2.50; 100 lbs., \$21.

**SUTTON'S EXCELSIOR.**—Resembles Nott's Excelsior, but has longer and broader pods of a light green color, 15 inches tall, very fine for market gardeners. 10c. ¼ lb.; 30c. per lb.; 10 lbs., \$2.30; 100 lbs., \$20.

**SECOND EARLY SHARP'S QUEEN.**—This variety is one of the few really fine Peas that resist the long droughts which we sometimes experience. The Peas are large oval, deep green, wrinkled, and of a delicious flavor when cooked. It is green wrinkled, main crop variety, growing to about two to two and a half feet in height, and stands well under the scorching rays of the sun. 10c. ¼ lb.; 30c. lb.; 10 lbs., \$2.30; 100 lbs., \$20.

**SECOND EARLY McLEAN'S LITTLE GEM.**—A dwarf, green, wrinkled marrow; very prolific; of a superior flavor, and a second early; 1 foot. 10c. ¼ lb.; 30c. per lb.; 10 lbs., \$2.20.

#### For General Crop.

**ADMIRAL DEWEY.**—This variety is without doubt the largest podded Pea we know of. Beautifully shaped, dark green pods, and peas of high-class flavor; green wrinkled; a good grower and bearer; height, 3½ feet. 10c. ¼ lb.; 30c. lb.; 10 lbs., \$2.30; 100 lbs., \$18.

**LONG ISLAND MOMMOTH.**—Becoming a favorite with Long Island and New Jersey truckers; excellent cropper; pods large, well filled; quality excellent; peas green, wrinkled; vines 3 feet. 10c. ¼ lb.; 30c. lb.; 10 lbs., \$2.30; 100 lbs., \$18.

**PRINCE EDWARD.**—This variety will produce pods attaining the extraordinary length of 7 inches and upward, closely packed with eleven to thirteen large dark green peas of fine flavor. Plant of branching habit growing 6 feet in height, dark green foliage, will withstand drought and mildew. Pods produced in great profusion, mostly in pairs. 10c. ¼ lb.; 30c. per lb.; 10 lbs., \$2.30; 100 lbs., \$18.

**CARTER'S DAISY, OR DWARF TELEPHONE.**—Possesses the quality of Carter's Telephone, except it grows half less in height. This makes it an exceptional valuable market sort; green, wrinkled. 10c. ¼ lb.; 30c. per lb.; 10 lbs., \$2.30; 100 lbs., \$20.

**CHAMPION OF ENGLAND.**—One of the best and most popular Peas in cultivation; green, wrinkled; 4 feet. 10c. ¼ lb.; 30c. per lb.; 10 lbs., \$2.20; 100 lbs., \$18.

**DUKE OF ALBANY.**—Late, remarkably hardy in growth, producing pods of large size well filled with large peas of good quality; green, wrinkled. 10c. ¼ lb.; 30c. per lb.; 10 lbs., \$2.30; 100 lbs., \$20.

**SHROPSHIRE HERO.**—A robust grower, about three feet, high, producing long, handsome pods in abundance, well filled; flavor exquisite; green, wrinkled. We recommend it. 10c. ¼ lb.; 30c. per lb.; 10 lbs., \$2.00; 100 lbs., \$2.20; 100 lbs., \$18.

**ALDERMAN.**—A large main crop pea, tall, producing long straight dark green pods five to six inches long, well filled and of excellent flavor. Vines nearly five feet high, exceedingly productive. 10c. ¼ lb.; 30c. lb.; 10 lbs., \$2.20; 100 lbs., \$18.

**STRATAGEM IMPROVED, "FERRY STRAIN."**—Pea green, wrinkled; two feet; vigorous branching habit, under favorable conditions; an enormous cropper; pod long; well filled with from eight to eleven Peas of the largest size, of extra fine flavor. 10c. ¼ lb.; 30c. lb.; 10 lbs., \$2.20; 100 lbs., \$18.

**TALL TELEPHONE.**—A very fine late wrinkle pea. 10c. ¼ lb.; 30c. lb.; 10 lbs., \$2.20; 100 lbs., \$18.

**ROYAL DWARF WHITE MARROWFAT.**—A favorite marrow sort; smooth, white, 4 feet. 8c. ¼ lb.; 25c. lb.; 15 lbs., \$300.

**TALL SUGAR.**—Edible pods; 5 feet. 10c. ¼ lb.; 30c. per lb.

**FIELD VARIETIES.**

(60 pounds to a bushel.)

**Cow Peas.**

Write for special prices on large quantities. Price subject to market fluctuation.

**VARIOUS KINDS, MIXED**—For enriching the soil and for hay. 7c. per lb.

**BLACK STANDARD VARIETY**—Runner, 7c. per lb.  
**GRAY WHIPPOORWILL**—Upright growth. 7c. per lb.

**MAMMOTH YELLOW SOJO**.—6c. per lb.

**WILSON'S BLACK SOJO**—New and extra variety. 8c. per lb.

**CANADA FIELD PEAS**.—Sow with oats. Very valuable for green feeding and for hay as well. 7c. per lb..

**PEPPER.**

*One ounce will produce 1,200 plants.*

Grown largely for pickling. Sow in hot-bed early in April, and transplant to the open ground when the weather is favorable. They should be planted in warm, mellow soil, in rows, eighteen inches apart; between rows, 3 feet.

**PIMENTO**.—Sweet variety, uniformly shaped. Green fruit, changing to red when ripe. 10c. per pkt.; 40c. per oz.; \$1.25 per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$4.50 per lb.

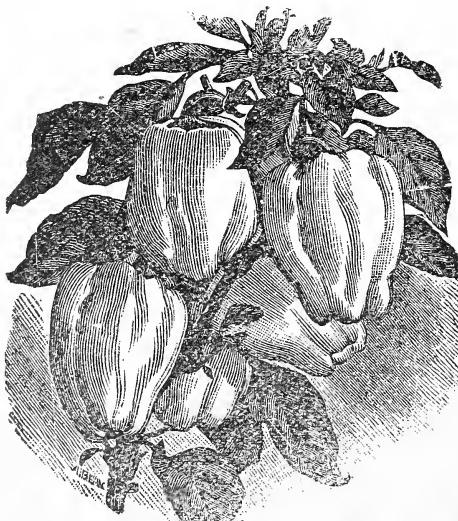
**NEAPOLITAN**.—Something extra fine, large fruit, red color, sweet. Ripens earlier than Ruby King. Good cropper. 10c. per pkt.; 60c. per oz.; \$1.50 per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$5.00 per lb.

**CHAMBERS' SWEET**.—Absolutely mild flavor, excellent producer. Not quite as blunt as "Bull Nose," medium in size, in fact, one of the best peppers we know of. 10c. per pkt.; 40c. per oz.; \$1.25 per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$4.50 per lb.

**CHINESE GIANT**.—The largest Pepper known. Its mammoth size, splendid shape, beautiful, rich, glossy flesh, mild flavor and enormous productiveness command it as one of the best market varieties ever introduced. 20c. per pkt.; 60c. per oz.; \$2.00 per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$6.50 per lb.

**RUBY KING**.—An exceedingly large and handsome Pepper; the fruits are of a bright ruby red. From  $4\frac{1}{2}$  to 6 inches long by  $3\frac{1}{2}$  to 4 inches in diameter, which makes it one of the largest of Peppers. The flavor is remarkably mild, and it can be sliced and eaten with pepper and vinegar like tomatoes and cucumbers, or it can be used as a salad. 15c. per pkt.; 50c. per oz.; \$1.75 per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$5.00 per lb.

**LARGE BELL, OR BULL NOSE**.—An early variety, of sharp flavor; rind thick and fleshy; color, brilliant red; shape, oblong. 10c. per pkt.; 40c. per oz.; \$1.25 per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$4.50 per lb.



BULL NOSE.

**SWEET MOUNTAIN, or MAMMOTH**.—Similar to the preceding in shape and color, but larger and milder in flavor. 10c. per pkt.; 50c. per oz.; \$1.50 per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$5.00 per lb.

**LONG RED CAYENNE**.—Fruit brilliant coral red; conical; from three to four inches in length; very productive. 10c. per pkt.; 40c. per oz.; \$1.25 per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$4.50 per lb.

**RUBY GIANT**.—A variety which is of a desirable size and shape for stuffing. A cross of Ruby King and Chinese Giant; grows to large size and is very mild. 10c. per pkt.; 60c. per oz.; \$1.50 per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$5.50 per lb.

**PEPPER PLANTS.**

(Ready May 1st.)

Prices Subject to Fluctuation.

**RUBY KING, MOUNTAIN SWEET PIMENTO and CAYENNE**.—Out of seed-bed, 10c. per doz., 75c. per 100. Transplanted plants 25c. per dozen; \$1.50 per 100.

**POTATO.**

*8 to 12 bushels will plant an acre, according to the kind of machine used, also distances planted.*

The potato, like all robust-growing vegetables, can be grown with varying success on soils of all kinds and in all conditions of fertility, but the soil best suited to it is a sandy loam. In all heavy soils it is more subject to a disease, and the flavor is much inferior. In breaking up good pasture land, the decaying sod answers sufficiently well for the first year in lieu of manure. Manure is applied either in rows or hills, or broadcast over the hills, and plowed in—the latter, in most cases, being preferable. If the soil is good, but little manure is required. In highly enriched soil the plants are more liable to disease than when grown in soil that is naturally good. The best fertilizers are those of a dry, or absorbent nature, as plaster, lime, superphosphate of lime and bone dust; for wet soil these are particularly beneficial, as they not only promote growth, but prevent diseases. Plant as early in Spring as the ground can be had in fair working order, in hills or ridges about three feet apart, covering in light, warm soil, about four inches deep, but in cold, wet situations, two or three inches will be sufficient.

PRICES NOT GUARANTEED. SUBJECT TO VARIATION.

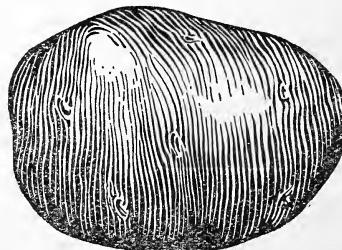
60 pounds to a bushel.

**Special Prices Given on Large Quantities.**

We handle Maine-Grown Seed Potatoes only. Seed stock grown in Maine is far superior to that grown in any other State.

**SURPRISE**.—An excellent quality potato. Shape and character that of Irish Cobbler. Larger in vine; also size of potato and yield; a medium early. 75c. per peck; \$2.50 per bushel; \$6.00 per sack of 165 pounds.

**STATE OF MAINE**.—An excellent quality potato; heavy cropper and a good keeper. 75c. per peck; \$2.50 per bushel; \$6.00 per barrel sack.



EARLY ROSE.

**IRISH COBBLER**.—Early, round, chunky, 85-day sort; quality of the finest; popular for home market. 75c. per peck; \$2.50 per bushel; \$6.00 per sack of 165 pounds.

**PRIDE OF THE SOUTH**.—A rival to the Irish Cobbler. Shape and quality like the Irish Cobbler, but a few days earlier. 75c. per peck; \$2.50 per bushel; \$6.00 per sack of 165 pounds.

**GREEN MOUNTAIN.**—Shape, oval; white skin, big copper and splendid cooker. 75c. per peck; \$2.50 per bushel; \$6.00 per barrel sack of 165 pounds.

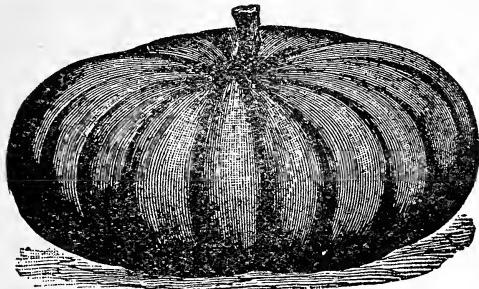
**HOLTON EARLY ROSE.**—The leading variety for earliness, quality and productiveness. 75c. per peck; \$2.50 per bushel; \$6.00 per barrel sack of 165 pounds.

### PUMPKIN.

*One pound will plant 250 hills.*

**Pumpkins** are now principally cultivated for agricultural purposes. They are usually planted in fields of corn or potatoes, but may be profitably raised in fields by themselves. Sow first in May, in hills eight feet apart.

**LARGE CHEESE.**—The best variety for cooking purposes. 15c. per oz.; 30c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 90c. per lb.



LARGE CHEESE.

**CONNECTICUT FIELD.**—Very productive; largely grown for feeding stock. 10c. per oz.; 25c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 75c. per lb.

**KING OF THE MAMMOTH.**—Grows to immense size, often weighing over one hundred pounds. 10c. per pkt.; 20c. per oz.; 50c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.50 per lb.

**WINTER LUXURY.**—It grows uniformly to a diameter of ten to twelve inches, and is enormously productive. It is a beautiful golden yellow, finely and closely netted, like a netted Musk Melon. As a winter keeper and cooking variety it stands unexcelled, and is one of the very best for either home use or market. 10c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 50c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.50 per lb.

**CUSHAW CROOKNECK.**—A good all-around pumpkin. 10c. per pkt.; 20c. per oz.; 50c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.50 per lb.

**SWEET POTATO TENNESSEE.**—Buff yellow skin, medium size oblong fruit. Flavor resembles mashed sweet potatoes. 10c. per pkt.; 20c. per oz.; 50c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.50 per lb.

### RADISH.

*One ounce will sow 100 feet of drill.*

**Radishes** thrive best in a light, rich, sandy loam; heavy or clayey soils not only delay their maturity, but produce crops much inferior in appearance and flavor. For a successive supply sow from the middle of March until September, at intervals of two or three weeks. For an early supply they may be sown in a gentle hot-bed in February.

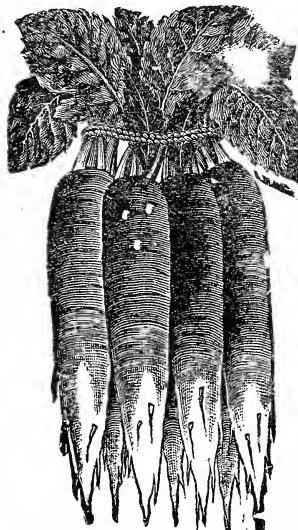
**THE EARLIEST OR SAXA.**—Excellent for forcing Matures in 17 days. Color, red. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 35c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.00 per lb.

**EARLY SCARLET PRUSSIAN GLOBE.**—An excellent forcer. 10c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 25c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 85c. per lb.

**EARLY SCARLET WHITE TIP.**—So rapid in growth as to develop in 20 days. Grows round and very symmetrical and uniform in shape; color, a bright scarlet, white tip. 10c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 25c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 75c. per lb.

**CRIMSON GIANT TURNIP.**—Will grow to an unusually large size. It is always tender, crisp and of mild flavor. It remains in perfect condition a long time. Color, a beautiful crimson. It will force well, but it is especially adapted for outdoor growing. 10c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 25c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 85c. per lb.

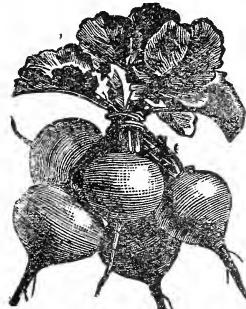
**CHARTIER, OR LONG ROSE.**—Decidedly distinct in appearance from any radish in cultivation. The color at the top is crimson, running into pink about the middle, and from thence downward it is pure waxy white. It will attain a very large size before it becomes unfit for table. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 25c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 75c. per lb.



LONG ROSE.

**EARLY FELTON WHITE BOX.**—It is perfectly round, smooth skin, pure white, free from all sharpness or bitterness. A remarkably quick grower, with small top. For forcing it is in every way superior. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 25c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 85c. per lb.

**EARLY WHITE TURNIP.**—Same as the Early Felton White Box, only different in color. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 25c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 75c. per lb.



THE EARLIEST OR SAXA.

**EARLY LONG WHITE ICICLE.**—The flavor of this new sort is very mild, and it is invaluable for slicing. The top is short; flesh very crisp and tender; very attractive when bunched. It matures in 40 days from time of sowing the seed, and remains in prime condition for eating for fully two weeks. 10c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 25c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 75c. per lb.

**EARLY LONG SCARLET SHORT TOP.**—The standard variety for market and private gardens. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 25c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 75c. per lb.

**EARLY SCARLET TURNIP.**—Very delicate in flavor; one of the best early sorts. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 25c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 75c. per lb.

**FRENCH BREAKFAST.**—A variety of quick growth; very mild and tender. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 25c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 75c. per lb.

**LONG PINK, OR LADY FINGER.**—Like the white, only differs in color. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 35c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.00 per lb.

**LONG WHITE VIENNA OR LADY FINGER.**—This is the finest Long White Radish in cultivation, most beautiful in shape; skin and flesh are pure snow white, crisp and of rapid growth. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 35c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.00 per lb.

**STRASBURG WHITE.**—Suitable for market and private gardens. It is of the tapering shape; both skin and flesh white. It is an excellent Summer variety, being tender and crisp and of fine flavor and a quick grower. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 35c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.00 per lb.

**ROSE CHINA WINTER.**—Bright rose color; flesh firm and piquant. Excellent for Winter use. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 30c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.00 per lb.

**WHITE SUMMER TURNIP.**—Large white; excellent for Summer use; very good market sort. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 30c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.00 per lb.

**BLACK SPANISH LONG.**—One of the hardest and best for Winter use. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 25c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 75c. per lb.

**WHITE SPANISH.**—Rather milder in flavor than the preceding. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 30c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.00 per lb.

**BLACK SPANISH ROUND.**—Good keeper. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 30c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.00 per lb.

### RHUBARB.

**VICTORIA.**—Cherry red in color, stalks immense, cook splendidly, are not stringy. 10c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 35c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.50 per lb.

### SALSIFY, OR OYSTER PLANT.

*One ounce will sow 50 feet of drill.*

The Oyster Plant succeeds best in light, well-enriched, mellow soil, which, previous to sowing the seed, should be stirred to a depth of eighteen inches. Sow early in the Spring, in drills fifteen inches apart; cover the seed with fine soil an inch and a half in depth, and when the plants are strong enough, thin out to six inches apart.

**SALSIFY, OR OYSTER PLANT.**—5c. per pkt.; 20c. per oz.; 50c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.50 per lb.

### SEA KALE.

*One ounce will sow 100 feet of drill.*

Cultivated for its blanched shoots, which are cooked as asparagus. A supply may be had all Winter by planting the roots closely in a warm cellar before frost. Sow one inch, in drills, two feet apart. Thin out to six inches, and the next Spring plant in hills three feet apart. 10c. per pkt.; 25c. per oz.

### SORREL.

**LARGE LEAVED.**—Has large leaves, can be cut five or six times, perfectly hardy. Leaves light green, quality very fine and not as broad as Spinach leaves. 10c. per pkt.; 20c. per oz.; 50c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.50 per lb.

### SPINACH.

**Notice.**—Owing to market conditions, all prices on Spinach are subject to change without notice.

*One ounce will sow 75 feet of drill, 8 pounds will sow an acre.*

This is a very important crop in our market gardens; it is one of the most easily managed of all vegetables, requiring but little culture, and may be had fit for use one entire season. The main crop is sown in September. It is sometimes covered up, in exposed places, with straw or salt hay during the Winter, which prevents it from being cut with the frost, but in sheltered fields here there is no necessity for covering. For summer use it may be sown at intervals of two or three weeks, from April to August. Spinach is best developed, and most tender and succulent, when grown in rich soil.

**BLOOMSDALE SAVOY GENUINE.**—The best market sort. 5c. per pkt.; 8c. per oz.; 15c.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 35c. per lb.; 10 lbs., \$2.50.

**LARGE, ROUND THICK-LEAVED VAROFLAY.**—A new variety, with very large, thick leaves. 5c. per pkt.; 8c. per oz.; 15c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 35c. per lb.

**NORFOLK SAVOY LEAVED.**—The leaves are numerous, succulent, curled and wrinkled like Savoy Cabbage. It produces nearly twice the weight or crop as the ordinary sorts, and is also the hardiest of all the varieties of Spinach. 5c. per pkt.; 8c. per oz.; 15c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 35c. per lb.

**VICTORIA.**—Leaves extra dark, black-green color. One of the best Winter sorts. 5c. per pkt.; 8c. per oz.; 15c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 35c. per lb.

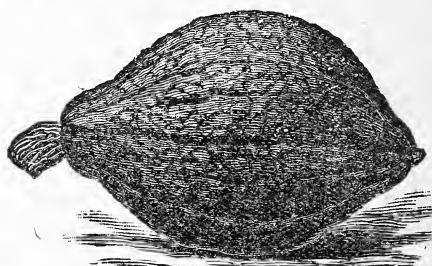
**NEW ZEALAND.**—This variety endures heat and is the best for summer growing. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 15c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 75c. per lb.

**LONG STANDING, OR ALL SEASON.**—Leaves large, thick and crimped, with a fleshy appearance, hardy, and one of best varieties for autumn and spring sowing. 5c. per pkt.; 8c. per oz.; 15c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 35c. per lb.

### SQUASH.

*Among Early Brush Sorts one ounce of seed will plant 50 hills; one ounce of Trailing Varieties 20 hills.*

Squashes are of luxuriant and vigorous growth, and, although they will grow readily on almost any soil, they will well repay generous treatment. Like all vegetables of this class, it is useless to sow until the weather has become settled and warm. Light soils are best suited for their growth, and it is most economical of manure to prepare hills for the seeds in ordinary manner by incorporating two or three shovelfuls of well-rotted manure with the soil for each hill. For the bush varieties, from three to four feet each way, and for the running sorts, from six to eight feet. Eight or ten seeds should be sown to each hill, thinning out after they have attained their rough leaves, leaving three or four of the strongest plants.



BOSTON MARROW.

**WHITE BUSH SCALLOPED.**—An early market variety; excellent for shipping. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 40c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.25 per lb.

**HUBBARD.**—A general favorite and more largely grown as a late sort than any other; of large size; flesh fine grained, dry and of excellent flavor. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 50c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.50 per lb.

**BUSH SUMMER CROOK-NECK.**—Early productive and of good quality; fruit orange-yellow, covered with warty excrescences. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 50c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.50 per lb.

**WINTER CROOK-NECK.**—A variety largely grown in some of the Eastern States; flesh close grained, sweet and fine flavored. Plant in hills nine feet apart. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 35c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.25 per lb.

**BOSTON MARROW.**—A much-esteemed variety, coming about ten days later than the bush sorts; a good keeper, and of unsurpassed flavor. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 30c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.00 per lb.

**MAMMOTH CHILLI.**—Grows to large size, often weighing over two hundred pounds. Excellent for all uses. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 50c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.50 per lb.

**GOLDEN CUSTARD.**—It is yellow in color and excellent fine flavor; grows to good size, and of a very fine quality; very productive and of a bushy nature. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 35c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.00 per lb.

**VEGETABLE MARROW.**—Long greenish white variety, very sweet and tender; fine for cooking. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 50c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.50 per lb.

### SWISS CHARD.

**GIANT LUCULLUS.**—Crinkly leaf, tall growing variety. Enormous yielder. Culture same as beet. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 25c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 75c. per lb.

**TOBACCO SEED.**

**IMPORTED HAVANA.**—40c. per oz.; \$3.50 per lb.

**TOMATO.**

*One ounce will produce about 1,200 plants.*

This delicious vegetable is one of the most important of all garden products. The seed should be sown in a hot-bed, about the first of March, in drills five inches apart and half an inch deep. When the plants are about two inches high they should be set out, four or five inches apart, in another hot-bed, or removed into small pots, allowing a single plant to a pot. They are sometimes transplanted a second time into larger pots, by which process the plants are rendered more sturdy and branching. About the middle of May the plants may be set in the open ground. They are planted for early crops on light, sandy soil, at a distance of three feet apart, in hills in which a good shovelful of rotted manure has been mixed. On heavy soils, which are not suited to an early crop, they should be planted four feet apart. Water freely at the time of transplanting, and shelter from the sun for a few days until the plants are established. Sufficient plants for a small garden may be started by sowing a few seeds in a shallow box or flowering-pot and placing it in a sunny window of the room or kitchen.

**JOHN BAER.**—Early, the first tomato to fruit in the garden. Plants dwarf, fruit of medium size, red and very uniform. 10c. per pkt.; 35c. per oz.; \$1.25 per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$4.00 per lb.

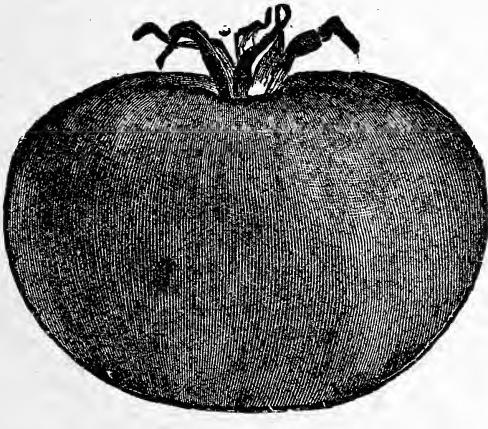
**BONNY BEST.**—An extra early, bright red tomato, smooth, large and productive. 10c. per pkt.; 25c. per oz.; 85c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$3.00 per lb.

**PONDEROSA.**—The largest tomato in cultivation, very solid and fine cropper. 10c. per pkt.; 40c. per oz.; \$1.50 per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$5.00 per lb.

**MATCHLESS.**—Large red fruit, general crop variety, good yielder. 10c. per pkt.; 25c. per oz.; 85c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$3.00 per lb.

**GREATER BALTIMORE.**—This variety is one of the largest and most perfectly shaped varieties in cultivation. Ripens evenly and early, and holds its size to the end of the season. It is very prolific, has few seeds, solid flesh, a good canning variety and bears shipping long distances. 10c. per pkt.; 25c. per oz.; 85c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$3.00 per lb.

**RED ROCK.**—A very red, attractive variety. It ripens very evenly. It is coreless and has a very red interior. It is smooth, solid and is a very heavy cropper. 10c. per pkt.; 25c. per oz.; 85c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$3.00 per lb.



STONE.

**STONE (Selected Strain).**—Very large, perfectly smooth, bright scarlet, solid; very productive; valuable for market gardeners and canners. 10c. per pkt.; 25c. per oz.; 75c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$2.50 per lb.

**LIVINGSTON'S BEAUTY.**—A popular variety. The color is a glossy crimson, with a purple tinge. It grows in clusters of four and five, retaining its large size late in the season. Very solid, with a tough skin, making it very desirable for shipping. 10c. per pkt.; 25c. per oz.; 85c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$3.00 per lb.

**SPARK'S EARLIANA.**—The earliest smooth Red Tomato of good size and flavor now in cultivation. It is a very compact grower, and consequently can be planted one-third closer than any other early sort. If you grow early Tomatoes don't miss planting it. It is a wonder. 10c. per pkt.; 25c. per oz.; 85c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$3.00 per lb.

**ACME.**—The fruit is of a medium size, perfectly smooth and regular in shape, very solid, and a great bearer; color quite distinct, being a dark red, with purplish tinge. 10c. per pkt.; 30c. per oz.; \$1.00 per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$3.50 per lb.

**YELLOW PLUM.**—A beautiful variety. Used principally for pickling. 10c. per pkt.; 35c. per oz.; \$1.25 per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$4.00 per lb.

**RED CHERRY.**—A small, early variety; size and shape of a cherry. For pickling. 10c. per pkt.; 35c. per oz.; \$1.25 per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$4.00 per lb.

**TOMATO PLANTS.**

(Ready May 1st.)

**EARLY EARLIANA, PERFECTION AND STONE TRANSPLANTED PLANTS.**—15c. to 25c. per doz.; \$1.00 to \$1.50 per 100; \$7.50 to \$10.00 per 1,000, according to stockiness of plants. 75c. per dozen grown in 3-inch pots; in boxes 10c. each; \$1.00 per doz.

**LATE STONE AND GREATER BALTIMORE.**—Field grown, \$3.50 per 1,000.

**EXTRA STRONG GROWN TRANSPLANTED PLANTS.**—In flats. special prices.

**TURNIP.**

*One ounce will sow 125 feet of drill; 1 $\frac{1}{2}$  to 2 lbs. will sow an acre.*

Turnips do best on highly-enriched, light, sandy or gravelly soil. Commence sowing the earliest varieties in April, in drills from twelve to fifteen inches apart, and thin out early to six or nine inches in the rows. For a succession, sow at intervals of a fortnight until the last week in July, from which time until the end of August sowings may be made for the Fall and main crops. Turnips may be preserved until Spring by cutting off the tops about one inch from the bulb, and storing them in a cellar or cool shed during Winter, covering the roots with dry sand; they should be harvested before severe frosts set in, for, though comparatively very hardy, few of the varieties will survive the Winter of the Northern States in the open ground.

**YELLOW ABERDEEN.**—Very hardy and productive, good keeper, globe-shaped, color pale yellow, with purple top; very firm in texture, and closely resembles the Ruta Baga in good keeping qualities; good either for table or stock. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 15c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 50c. per lb.

**WHITE EGG.**—Flesh very firm and fine-grained, thin and perfectly smooth skin, and both flesh and skin are of snowy whiteness. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 25c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 75c. per lb.

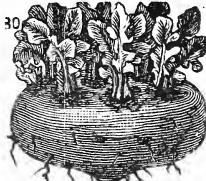
**YELLOW GLOBE.**—One of the best American varieties for general crop. Flesh very firm and sweet, and keeps well until late in Spring. Grows to a large size, and is excellent both for stock and table use. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 15c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 50c. per lb.

**EARLY FLAT DUTCH.**—An excellent variety, resembling White Strap Leaf. The best variety for Spring sowing. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 25c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 85c. per lb.

**EARLY SNOWBALL.**—A medium-sized, round, pure, white variety, of excellent flavor. For early sowing this is one of the best, being crisp, tender and sweet. Maturing in about six weeks from time of sowing. 5c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 20c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 65c. per lb.

**YELLOW-STONE.**—Bulbs of medium size, very firm, excellent flavor and good keeper; one of the best and most popular yellow-fleshed varieties for table use; it is equally good for feeding stock. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 20c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 65c. per lb.

**RED-TOP STRAP LEAF.**—Rapid grower and mild flavor; the popular variety for early use, either for the table or stock. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 15c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 40c. per lb.



PURPLE-TOP STRAP LEAF.

**PURPLE-TOP WHITE GLOBE.**—An early variety, globe-shaped; in other respects similar to the Red-Top Strap Leaf. A handsome-looking bulb, and is rapidly taking the lead of all other varieties of early Turnip for market garden purposes. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 15c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 40c. per lb.

**GOLDEN BALL (ROBERTSON'S).**—Rapid grower, excellent flavor, globe-shaped, and of a beautiful bright yellow color; a good keeper, and has no superior for table use. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 15c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 50c. per lb.

### RUTA BAGA, RUSSIAN OR SWEDISH TURNIP.

The Ruta Baga, Russian or Swedish Turnip, is extensively grown for a farm crop. The roots are close grained, very hard, and will endure a considerable degree of cold without injury. The roots are best preserved in a pit or cellar during the Winter, and are excellent for the table early in Spring. Sow from 20th of June to the middle of July, in drills two feet apart, and thin out to eight inches.

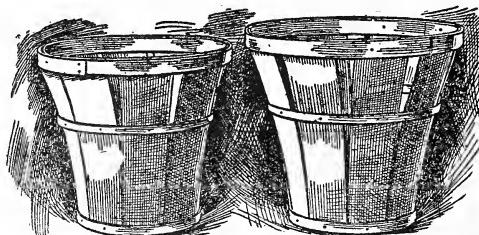
**IMPROVED AMERICAN (PURPLE-TOP).**—The leading variety, very hardy and productive. Flesh yellow, solid, sweet and finely flavored. Equally good for stock or table use. The principal variety raised by market gardeners. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 20c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 60c. per lb.



AMERICAN PURPLE-TOP.

**COW HORN.**—A long white turnip. Grows to large size; it has a fine desirable flavor and is a heavy cropper. 5c. per pkt.; 10c. per oz.; 35c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; 65c. per lb.

# BASKETS



RIBSAM always has the Baskets you want  
Splint Baskets, 4-quart, 8-quart, 16-quart, 20-quart  
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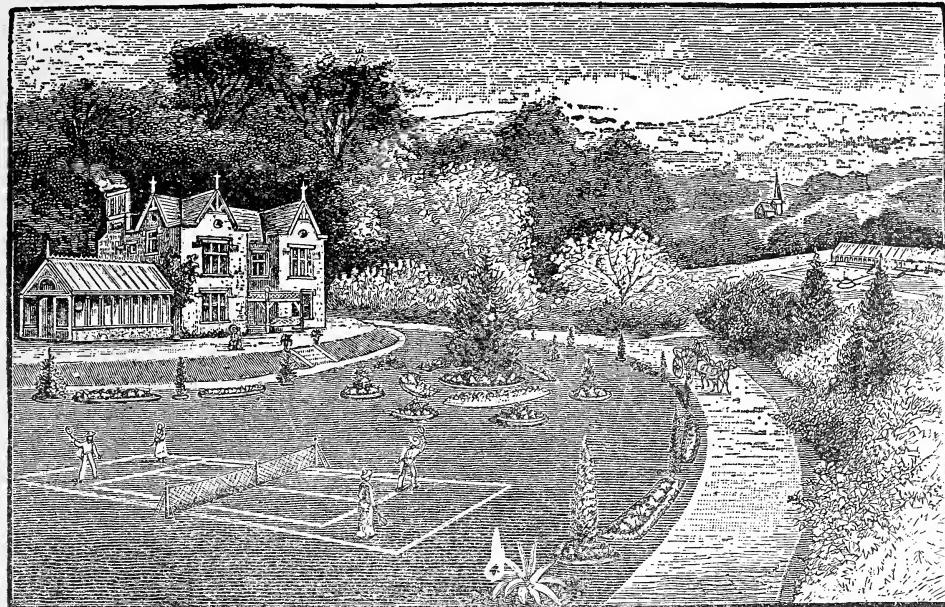
Berry Boxes, Oak and Bamboo Baskets

Handle Baskets,  $\frac{1}{4}$ -bushel,  $\frac{1}{2}$ -bushel,  $\frac{5}{8}$ -bushel, 1-bushel, 2-bushel

Berry Baskets

Egg Baskets

Baskets of Every Description and Size



## Lawn Grass Seeds

The preparation for laying down lawns is too often hastily and imperfectly made. The first point is to get the ground shaped to the desired grade, taking care in grading that when the hills are removed sufficient subsoil is also removed, to be replaced with top soil, so that at least six inches of good soil will overlay the whole in all places. When the grading is finished, drains should be laid wherever necessary; then the whole should be thoroughly plowed, a subsoil following in the wake of the common plow, until it is completely pulverized. A heavy harrow should then be applied, until the surface is thoroughly fined down. All stones, roots, etc., should be removed, so that a smooth surface may be obtained. The lawn is now ready to be sown. When the seed is sown, a light harrow should be again applied, and after a thorough rolling given, so that the surface is made as smooth as possible. In the latitude of New York the seed may be sown at any time during the months of April and May, and will form a good lawn by August, if the preparation has been good. If sown in the hot months of June or July, a sprinkling of oats should be sown at the same time, so that the shade given by the oats will protect the young grass from the sun. For small plots, of course, digging, trenching and raking must be done, instead of plowing, subsoiling or harrowing. *If by mail, add five cents per lb. for first pound and one cent for each additional pound thereafter.*

**RIBSAM CHOICE LAWN GRASS.**—This is composed of choice selected grasses, of neat compact growth, and will produce fine sward. 40c. per lb.; 10 lbs., \$3.50; 20 lbs., \$6.50; 100 lbs., \$30.00; 1 qt., 30c.; 4 qts., \$1.00; peck, \$1.75; bushel (of 20 lbs.), \$6.50.

**LAWN GRASS, FOR SHADE.**—Fine mixed, 45c. per lb.; 10 lbs., \$4.00; 20 lbs., \$7.50; 100 lbs., \$35.00; 1 qt., 35c.; 4 qts., \$1.25; peck, \$2.25; bushel (of 20 lbs.), \$7.50.

(*For forming new Lawns, about seventy-five pounds per acre are required.*)

## Ribsam's Lawn Fertilizer

It is far superior to lump, straw manure, which disfigures the lawn with filthy materials, giving off an offensive odor, and is less expensive than manure; the cost of the Dressing being less, in many cases, than the cost of applying stable manure. It is odorless, and is so clean that anyone can apply it. It contains no weed seeds found always in manure, and which are the pests of the lawn. This is so prepared that it acts gradually through the seasons, producing a luxuriant growth of grass of rich green color. It may be applied at any time during the Spring and Summer, or Autumn, or as often as the grass seems to need nourishment. One lb. to 10 square feet, or 500 lbs. to an acre. Price, 6c. per lb.; per bag of 10 lbs., 50c.; per 25 lbs., \$1.00; per 100 lbs., \$3.75; per ton, \$55.00.

**SHEEP MANURE.**—6c. per lb.; 5 lbs., 25c.; 10 lbs., 45c.; 25 lbs., \$1.00; 100 lbs., \$3.25.

**BONE, PURE, GROUND.**—6c. per lb.; 5 lbs., 25c.; 10 lbs., 45c.; 25 lbs., \$1.00; 100 lbs., \$3.50.

## Pulverized Lime Stone (For the Lawn)

10 lbs. spread 100 square feet (10 x 10); 100 lbs. will spread 1,000 square feet (20 x 50).  
Prices, 10 lb. bags, 25c.; 25 lbs., 40c.; 50 lbs., 65c.; 100 lb. bag, \$1.00.

## Limoid Hydrated (For Lawn and Vegetable Garden)

Prices, 10 lb. bag, 25c.; 25 lbs., 50c.; 50 lbs., 75c.; 100 lbs., \$1.25.

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# Farm Seeds

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## Grass and Grain Seeds.

If there is anything you specially want that we have not in our Catalogue, write to us for information and prices, which will promptly be given to you.

### BARLEY.

48 pounds to a bushel.

BARLEY.—Six and eight-rowed. \$2.25 per bushel.

### BUCKWHEAT.

48 pounds to a bushel.

NEW JAPANESE.—Kernel twice the size of the ordinary variety. It is earlier and more productive. Flour very fine. \$2.00 per bushel.

### GRASS SEED.

HERD, OR RED TOP GRASS (*Agrostis Vulgaris*).—Natural harvest seed in hull. Valuable as a mixture in either pasture or lawn grasses. Succeeds well in almost any soil. Best adapted to neat soil. Sow 20 to 30 lbs. to an acre. 25c. per lb.; 15 lb. lots and over, 22c. per lb.

HERD OR RED TOP GRASS SEED.—Fancy seed thrashes out of hull. Sow 10 to 15 lbs. to an acre. 45c. per lb.; 15 lbs. and over, 40c. per lb.

KENTUCKY BLUE GRASS (*Poa Pratensis*).—Sow 30 to 35 lbs. to an acre. It is also known as June Grass. A valuable variety for lawns, when mixed with other grasses. Thrives best in dry soils, and retains its verdure during the hottest weather. Extra-clean seed. 65c. per lb.; 15 lb. lots and over, 58c. per lb.

PERENNIAL RYE GRASS (*Lulium Perenne*).—Sow 30 to 35 lbs. to an acre. A very nutritious and valuable grass for meadows and permanent pastures. 20c. per lb.; 15 lb. lots and over, 15c. per lb.

RHODE ISLAND BENT GRASS (*Agrostis Canina*).—Sow 20 to 30 lbs. to an acre. One of the finest of grasses for lawns when sown alone. 75c. per lb.

CREEPING BENT GRASS.—Sow 20 to 30 lbs. to an acre. One of the best putting green grasses. Lays close to the ground and withstands drought better than any other blade grass. 75c. per lb.

ORCHARD GRASS (*Dactylis Glomerata*). Sow 20 to 25 lbs. to an acre.—One of the most desirable of all pasture grasses. Especially valuable for grazing stock. 35c. per lb.; 15 lb. lots and over, 30c. per lb.

TIMOTHY GRASS (*Phleum Pratense*). Sow 10 to 15 lbs. to an acre.—This well-known variety is extensively grown throughout this country. It will produce a larger crop than any other fine blade grass for hay. 20c. per lb.; 15 lb. lots and over, 12c. per lb.

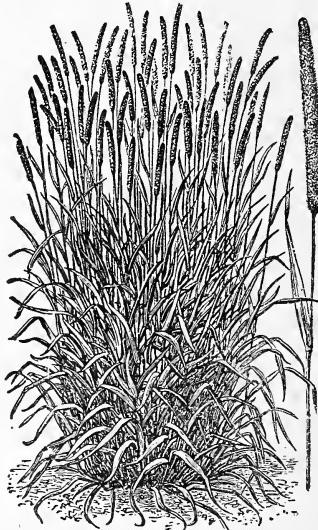
HUNGARIAN GRASS (*Panicum Germanicum*). Sow 50 to 60 lbs. to an acre.—Early. Height, two or three feet; abundant foliage and slender head; withstands drought and yields well on light soil. 15c. per lb.; 15 lb. lots, 9c. per lb.

GERMAN, OR GOLDEN MILLET. Sow 50 to 60 lbs. to an acre.—Medium early. In height, three to four feet; heads closely condensed. 10c. per lb.; 15 lb. lots and over, 5c. per lb.

### CLOVERS.

Prices Variable.

ALFALFA, OR LUCERNE. Sow 20 to 30 lbs. to an acre.—It requires a deep, rich soil, and in such will produce several crops every season. One of the best green fodder plants. 30c. per lb.; 15 lb. lots, \$3.75; 100 lb. lots, \$22.00.



TIMOTHY.

ALSIKE CLOVER. Sow 6 to 8 lbs. to an acre.—Resembles in growth, duration, etc., the Medium Red Clover, except its flower is white and growth much finer; thrives better than Red Clover on poorer soil and will not winter out as much as the other kinds of Clover. 30c. per lb.; 15 lb. lots, \$3.75; 100 lb. lots, \$24.00.

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PEA VINE OR MAMMOTH RED CLOVER. Sow 20 to 25 lbs. to an acre. Resembles the Medium Red Clover, but grows coarse and stocky; very valuable for plowing under. 35c. per lb.; 15 lb. lots, \$4.50; 100 lb. lots, \$28.00.

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RAPE DWARF ESSEX. Sow 10 to 12 lbs. to an acre.—Does well to sow with Oats, Southern Cow Peas and Sweet Fodder Corn. If well grown it is the best and cheapest pasture for hogs. By itself it is excellent as green food for poultry. Good green food for poultry, sheep and hogs. 15c. per lb.; 15 lb. lots, \$1.80.

**SWEET CLOVER (*Melilotus Alba*).** Sow 15 to 20 lbs. to an acre of hulled seed.—Very valuable for soiling, very excellent for sowing in early Spring on land to be sown later to Alfalfa. Grows from 3 to 5 feet high and can be cut two or three times if wanted for forage. 15c. per lb.; 15 lb. lots, \$2.00.

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REHMANNIA ANGULATA.—Herbaceous perennial with tufted leaves and spikes of rose-colored flowers. 15c. per pkt.

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RUDBECKIA (GOLDEN GLOW).—5c. per pkt.

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SHASTA DAISY.—This is a special selection of hybrid daisies, bearing a flower of large size, which makes it desirable for cutting. 5c. per pkt.

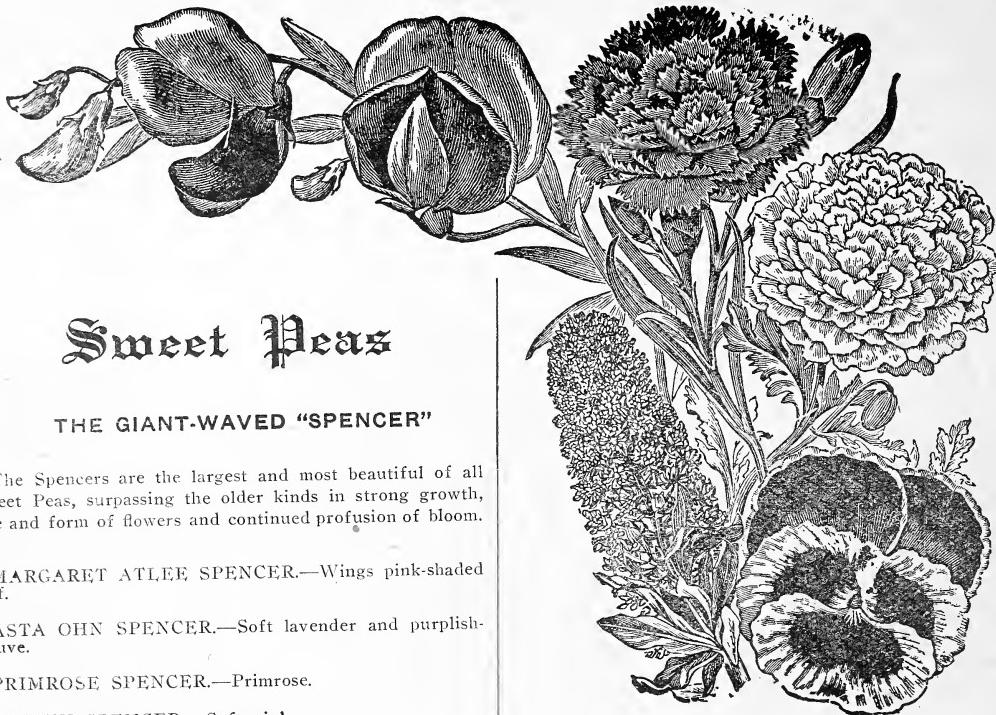
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The Spencers are the largest and most beautiful of all Sweet Peas, surpassing the older kinds in strong growth, size and form of flowers and continued profusion of bloom.

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TRUE COUNTESS SPENCER.—Bright, clear pink.

KING EDWARD SPENCER.—Rich, bright crimson, very large waved flowers.

WHITE SPENCER.—Pure White.

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Mixed Colors, 20c. per oz.; 60c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$2.00 per lb.

Named varieties, Spencer, 25c. per oz.; 85c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$3.00 per lb.

### Grandiflora Strain.

KING EDWARD VII.—Bright scarlet.

NORA.—White.

HON. MRS. E. KENYAN.—Salmon orange.

LADY GRISWOLD HAMILTON.—Lavender.

AURORA.—Rose and orange on white.

PRIMA DORMA.—Vermilion rose.

PHENOMENAL.—White shaded lilac.

PRINCE OF WALES.—Rich carmine rose.

PRIMA DONNA.—Rosy pink.

BLANCHE FERRY.—Bright pink white wings.

NAVY BLUE.—Deep indigo blue.

COUNTESS OF CADOGAN.—Dark purple.

DOROTHY ECKFORD.—Large pure white.

Named varieties, 10c. per pkt.; 15c. per oz.; 50c. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.; \$1.50 per lb.

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### SWEET WILLIAM (DIANTHUS BARBATUS).

This is another of the great favorites of the garden being beautiful and well adapted for cutting. We have it in all the separate colors and in mixed packages. 5c. per pkt.

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VERBENA.—Known to everyone; it is a free bloomer of vigorous habits, bearing large, gorgeously colored flowers. 5c. per pkt.

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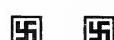
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## Lawn Necessities



# Lawn Mowers

(All Prices Subject to Change with Market Conditions.)

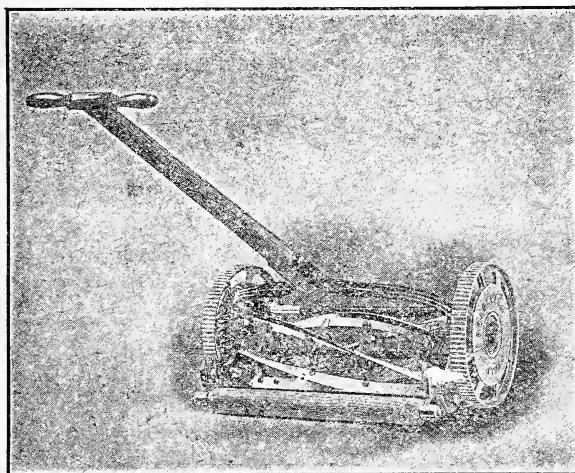
We carry the largest and finest assortment of lawn mowers in the city. Do not fail to see our line before selecting a mower for your lawn.

### Pennsylvania.

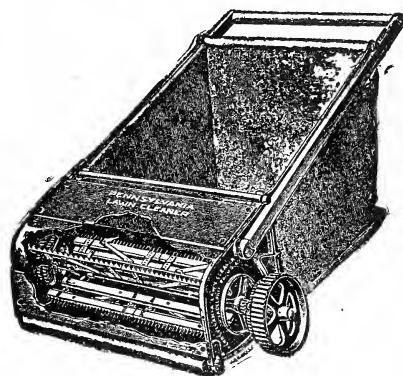
The Pennsylvania high-wheel, compound-gear lawn mower is universally recognized as the standard by which all other mowers are measured. It will last longer, cut easier and do more work than any other mower on the market. Price, 15 in., \$25.50; 17 in., \$29.50; 19 in., \$32.00; 21 in., \$35.00.

### The Coldwell Line.

The Coldwell line of mowers has been on the market for the last fifty years. This company permits nothing but the best material and workmanship to enter into its mowers. We will warrant any mower from this line to give satisfaction.



COLDWELL IMPERIAL MOWER.



PENNSYLVANIA LAWN CLEANER AND RAKE.

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This machine will remove from your lawn not only cut grass but all sorts of litter, leaves and trash. It is one of the best articles to rid your lawn of wire-grass. With it one man can do as much as four men with rakes. Price, on application.

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It meets the demand for a ball-bearing machine within the reach of all. The workmanship on this machine is fine. Wheels 8 in. Price, \$9.25, 12 in.; \$9.75, 14 in.; \$10.25, 16 in.; \$13.00, 18 in.

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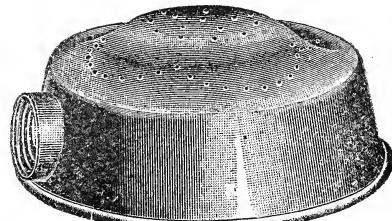
It is a low-priced mower with full money value. This mower we will guarantee to do good service at a cost of little above the poor mowers so freely put out. Price, \$6.75, 12 in.; \$7.25, 14 in.; \$7.75, 16 in.

### Philadelphia Graham.

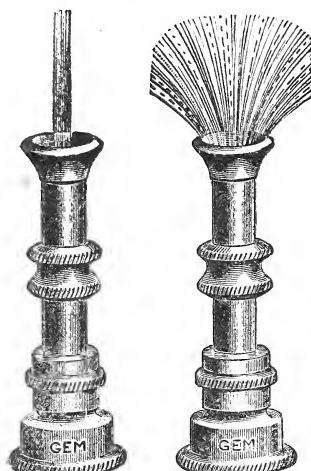
It is a very high grade, all steel mower, with no front rod and 10-inch wheel, and a train of gears on both sides. It is one of the highest achievements in the manufacture of lawn mowers. Price on application.

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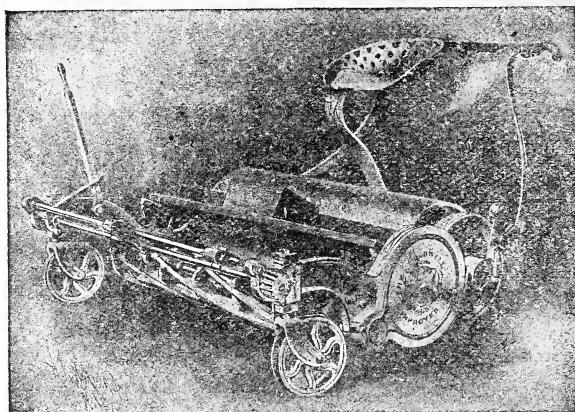
It is made of the best material obtainable, and is equipped with all the latest devices such as the patent reversible channel-shaped bottom knife, etc. This mower has a 10 $\frac{1}{4}$ " wheel and is a pleasure giver when in use. Price, \$15.00, 14 in.; \$16.00, 16 in.; \$17.00, 18 in.



LAWN SPRINKLERS.



GEM NOZZLE.



COLDWELL IMPROVED HORSE MOWER.

**"COLDWELL PARK."**

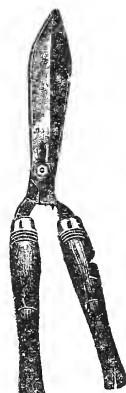
It is the best ball-bearing lawn mower on the market because the ball-bearings are in the drive wheels thus carrying the weight of the machine and lightening the draft. The mower carries five knives with the simplest adjustment made and 10½ in. wheels. Price, 14 in., \$18.00; 16 in., \$20.00; 18 in., \$22.00; 20 in., \$24.00.

**"Lakewood."**

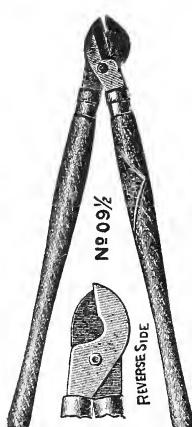
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It is acknowledged to be the best horse mower on the market. It is acknowledged as the standard of quality, being in many parks and golf links. This mower is complete with seat, shaft and side draft attachment, and can be had with either four or six blades in the revolving cutter. Price on application.



ENGLISH HEDGE SHEARS.



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It is made to meet the demand for a machine to get close to buildings, etc., and cut the grass.

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When in the market for a putting green mower or motor lawn mower, or any special design of machine, come to Ribsam's, for we either have it or will get it for you. Prices on application.

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Prices, 50c. to \$15.00.

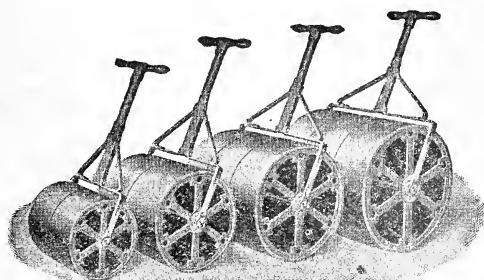
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Winter thawing and freezing heaves the ground and loosens the roots of the grass, the roller packs it back and preserves. Constant rolling eradicates moles. In offering you this roller-bearing lawn roller we do so with the utmost confidence in it for easy draft, light weight and durability.

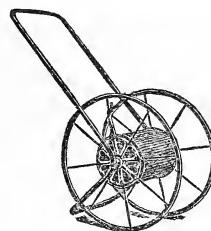
Diameter Inches.	Length.	Sect.	Lbs.
15, .....	15	2	150
15, .....	22	3	200
20, .....	20	2	250
20, .....	24	2	300
20, .....	30	3	350
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Price, \$10.00 to \$22.00.

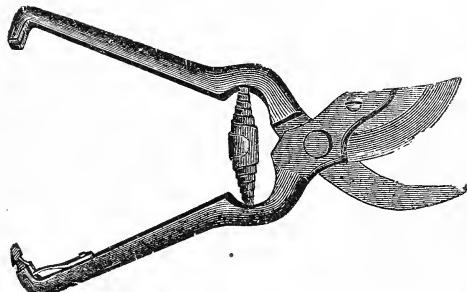
We also have the Water Ballast Lawn Roller. With this roller you can vary your weight as desired, all the way from 90 lbs. to 800 lbs. Prices are variable and will be given upon application.



ROLLER BEARING LAWN ROLLERS.



HOSE REEL.



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### Cooper Hose Mender.

This mender is made of copper with barbs in it. The hose will never slip or leak. It makes an absolutely tight connection. Price 10c. each; \$1.00 doz.

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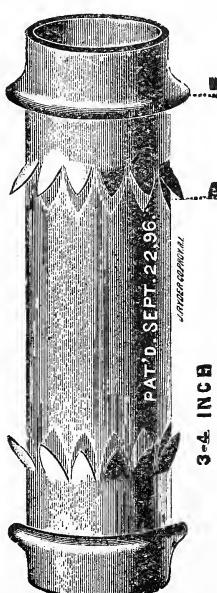
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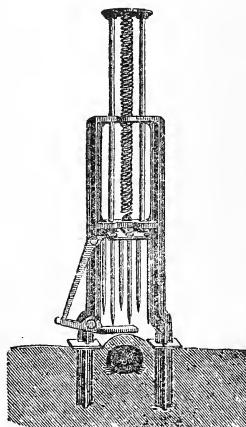
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These shears are of the best English make, having long handle with two or one wheel to rest them upon while in operation. Price, \$2.75 to \$4.50.



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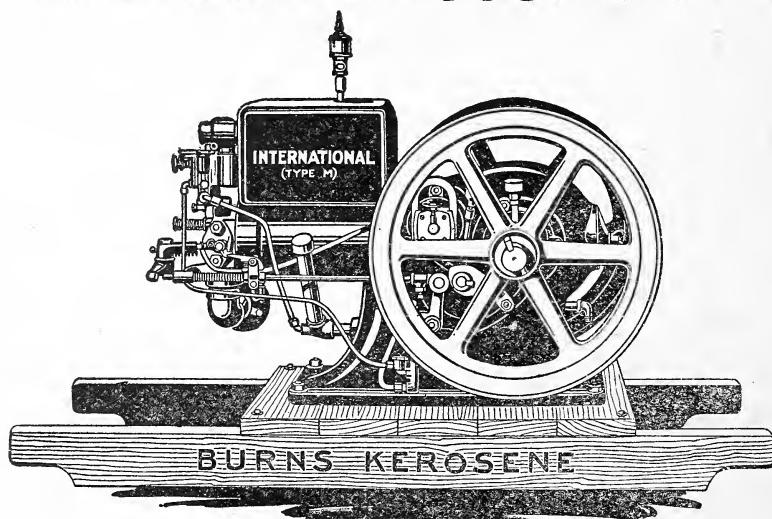
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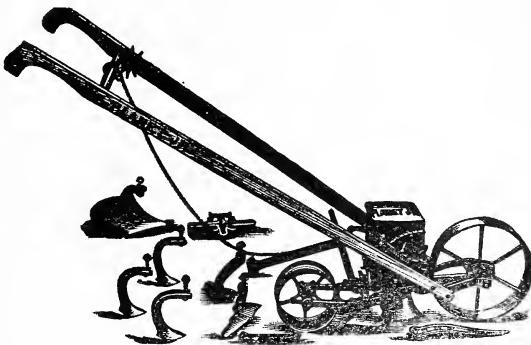
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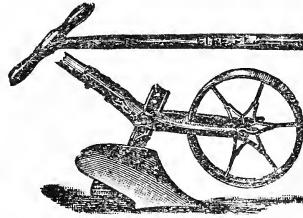
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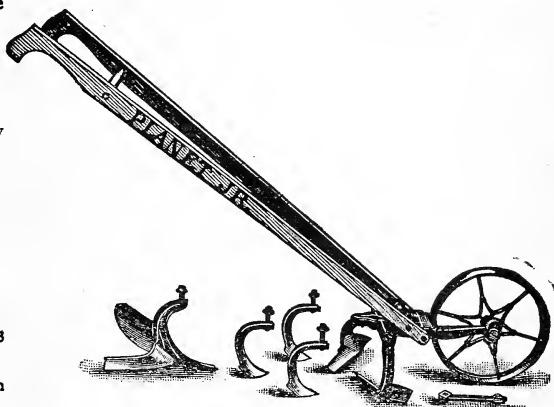
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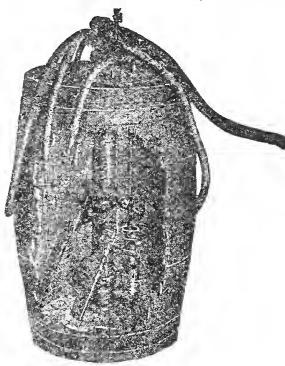
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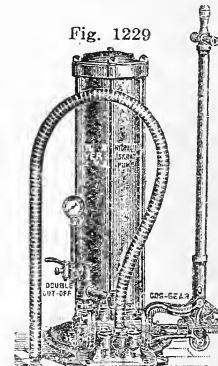


BARREL  
SPRAYER.



WHITEWASH  
SPRAYER.

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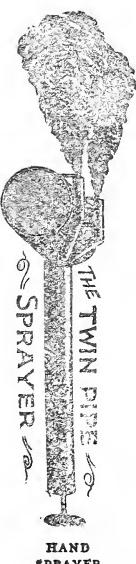
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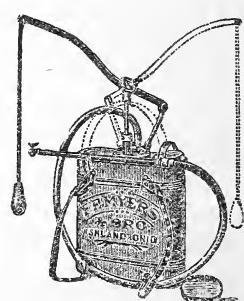
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HAND  
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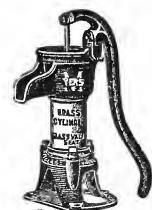


KNAPSACK  
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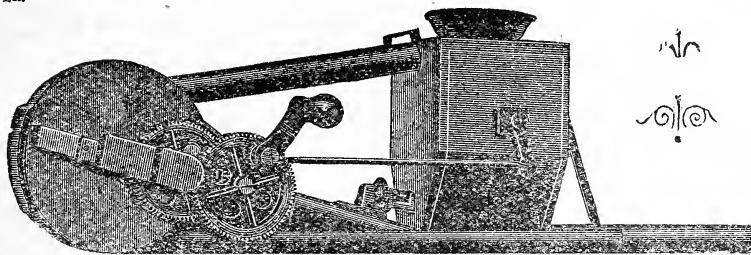
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BERRY HOOK.—50c.

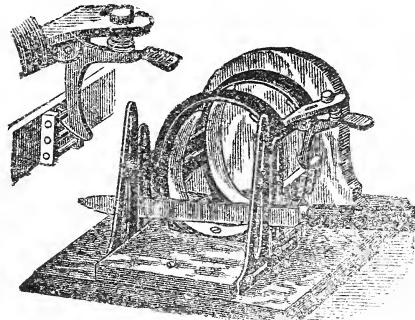
BILL HOOK.—Short Handle and Long Handle. \$1.25 to \$4.00.

BILL PICKS.—American, No. 4. \$3.50.

BRUSHES.—For dairy purposes, 25c. to 60c.; for stable use, 25c. to \$2.50; for white-washing, 25c. to \$2.00.

BROOMS.—Stable push rattan and cocoa, 70c. to \$1.25; upright corn and rattan, 85c. to \$1.25; upright rattan, 75c. to \$1.25.

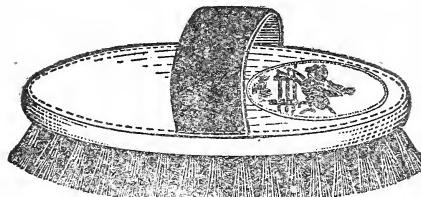
CORN HUSKERS OR PEGS.—5c. to 25c.



ACME ASPARAGUS BUNCHER.



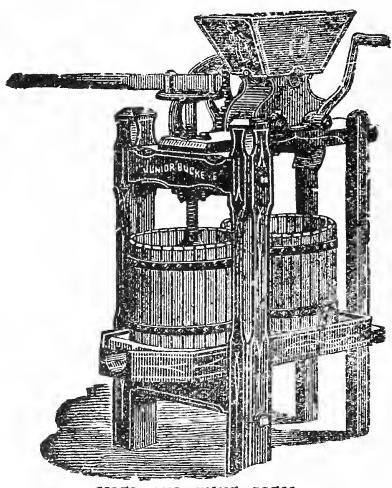
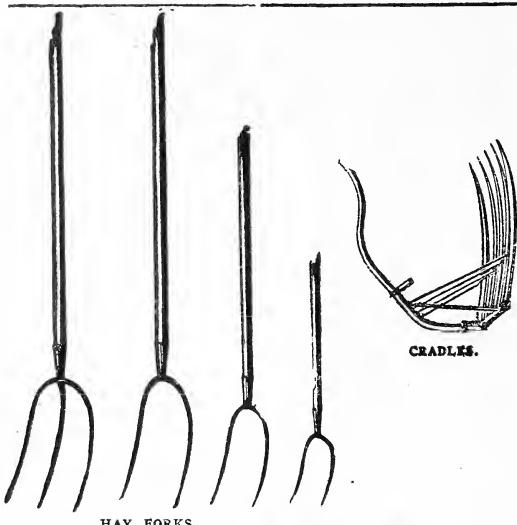
CONCAVE ASPARAGUS KNIFE.



HORSE BRUSH.



DIBBLE.



WELL BUCKET.

**BRUSH AXE.**—For shrubbery and underbrush. \$1.25 to \$1.75.

**BUCKETS.**—For all purposes. Wood, 90c. to \$1.50.; Galvanized, 65c. to \$1.00.; Tin, 60c. to \$1.25. Well buckets, \$1.00 to \$2.00.

**CABBAGE CORERS.**—Made of the best of steel. 85c.

**CALF WEANERS.**—For calves and yearlings. Rice make. 35c. to 75c.

**CANT HOOKS.**—In all sizes and weights. \$1.50 to \$2.50.

**CAPONIZING SET.**—Complete. \$2.50 to \$4.50.

**CATTLE CARDS.**—15c. and 25c.

**CIDER MILLS AND WINE PRESSES.**—Keystone made. \$4.50 to \$28.00.

**CURRY COMBS.**—10c. to 25c.

**CORN BREAKERS.**—10c.

**CORN KNIVES.**—25c. to 50c.

**CROWBARS.**—\$1.00 to \$2.25.

**DEHORNERS.**—Phillips and Webster make. \$8.50.

**DIBBLES.**—Wood handle, with iron point. 35c

**DOG CHAINS.**—Light and heavy. 25c. and 30c.

**DOCK EXTRACTOR.**—Heavy Hall. 50c.

**FILES.**—5c. to 50c.

**FORKS.**—Hand weeding.

Digging or spading, 4-prong, D handle, 60c. to \$1.25.

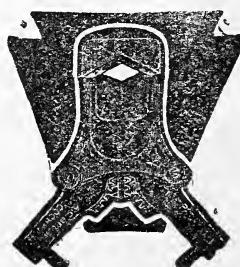
Digging or spading, 5-prong, D handle, \$1.25 to \$2.50.

Manure fork, 4 tine, long handle, 90c. to \$1.50.

Manure fork, 4 tine, short D handle, 90c. to \$1.35.

Manure fork, 6 tine, short D handle, \$1.35 to \$1.75.

Hay forks, 2 tine, 3 tine, 4 tine, 60c. to \$1.25.



DEHORNERS.



CORN KNIFE.

**FRUIT PICKER.**—Wire. 35c. Pole for same. 20c. to 45c.

**GARBAGE CANS.**—Heavily galvanized, with or without bale. \$1.25 to \$4.00.

**GARDEN LINE.**—Best grade cotton. 45c. per lb.

**GARDEN LINE REEL.**—Malleable iron. \$1.50 to \$2.50.

**GARDENERS' GLOVES.**—Cotton, goat, etc. 10c. to 50c.

**GRASS HOOKS.**—English riveted back, Austrian, Dutch, American and Little Giant. 25c. to 75c.

**GRAFTING WAX.**— $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 15c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 25c.; 1 lb., 40c.

**GRASS EDGERS.**—Big variety. 65c. to \$1.50.

**GRAPE BAGS.**—Wired. 45c. per 100.

**GRINDSTONES.**—In many sizes, plain and mounted.

**HAMMERS, CLAW.**—\$1.00 to \$1.50.

**HANDLES.**—For all kinds of shovels, hoes, forks, rakes, axes, etc. 10c. to 50c.

**HAY KNIVES.**—Lightning, for cutting hay. Fisher make. \$1.00 to \$1.50.

**HANDY HOE.**—It is adjustable and with it you can plow, hoe and pulverize. It also does the bending and stooping for you along with many other things. \$1.75.

**HANGING BASKET.**—Wire, 15c. to 45c.; Terra Cotta, 50c. to \$1.00.

**HATCHETS.**—Medium and heavy weights. \$1.00 and up.

**HEDGE KNIFE.**—\$1.25.

**HORSE MUZZLES.**—Galvanized, 25c.; copperized, 25c.

**HORSE CLIPPERS.**—\$1.25 to \$2.50.

**HORSE CLIPPING MACHINE AND KNIFE GRINDERS.**—\$12.00 to \$14.50.

#### HOES.—Draw or Field.

**Warren.**—Heart-shaped, finest garden hoe, all sizes. 65c. to \$1.25.

**Acme.**—Weeding and cultivating, double and single prong. 40c. to \$1.00.

**Scuffle or Push.**—Hoes of best imported steel. 40c. to 85c. Handles, 25c. extra.

**Norcross.**—Three and five-pronged cultivating hoe. 50c. to \$1.25.

**Celery Hilling.**—4½-inch blade and up. 35c. to 75c.

**Grub.**—All styles and sizes desired. 35c. to \$1.25.

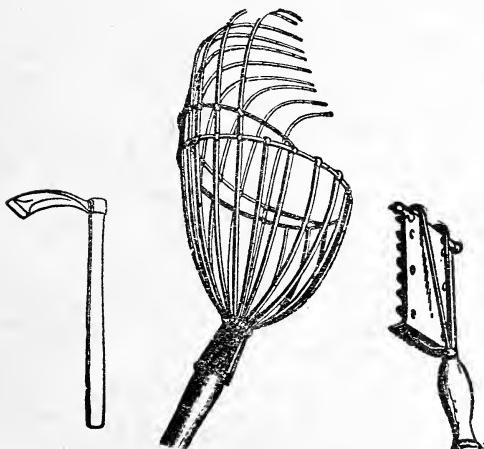
**Prong or Potato Drags.**—Four or five-tine, round or flat. \$1.00 to \$2.00.

**Half-moon Hoe.**—Any size desired from three to eight inches. 60c. to \$1.00.

**HOG SCRAPERS.**—Round or oval. 25c. and 35c.

**HOTBED MATS.**—\$2.50 to \$4.00.

**HUSKING GLOVES AND PEGS.**—10c. to 75c.



GRUB HOE.

FRUIT PICKER.

CURRY COMB.



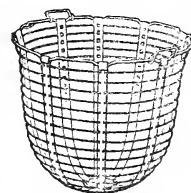
IDEAL GRINDSTONE.



GARDEN TOOLS.



STEWART BALL-BEARING CLIPPING MACHINE.



HORSE MUZZLE.



PICK.  
60c. to 85c.



MATTOX AXE.  
65c. to 85c.

**ICE TOOLS.**—Breaking bars, Caulking bars, Canal chisels, Chain tongues, Cleaning-off scrapers, Hand tongues, Ice hooks, Ice plows, King's Ice scales, Ice planers, Ice saws, Snow scrapers, Splitting bars, Splitting fork, Starting chisels, etc. Prices on application.

**KEGS.**—Oak, in all sizes, from five to twenty-five gallon.

**LABELS.**—Wood, painted, for pots and garden use. Garden, 100 in pkg.; Pot, 1,000 in pkg. \$1.55 to \$9.00 per 1,000.

**LANTERNS.**—Deitz, for all purposes and in all sizes. **Post-Hole DIGGER.** **STEEL RAKE.** \$1.00 to \$7.50.

**MAULE OR BEETLE.**—All weights. For driving wedges, etc.; heavy, with iron bands, \$1.00 to \$2.50.

**MEASURES.**—Wood and galvanized, all sizes, from one pint to one bushel. 25c. to \$1.40.

**GARDEN CULTIVATOR-HOES** and **WEEDERS.**—Material, workmanship and finish is of the highest quality. Prongs can be released without removing bolts. Sold with three and five prongs. A "Midget" weeder is also sold by us, which gives excellent service for flowers, strawberries, etc. 50c. to \$1.25.

**OILS.**—For lawn mowers, separators, gas engines, large machinery. From 1 pt. to 1 gal. or more. 10c. per pt. to 75c. per gal.

**OIL CANS.**—Many styles. 10c. to 35c.

**PICKS.**—Clay, also Pick Mattock, Miners' picks. 60c. to 85c. Handles. 18c. to 50c.

**POST HOLE DIGGERS.**—\$1.50 to \$2.50.

**PLANT STANDS.**—Wire, 3-shelf square. \$3.75 to \$7.00.

**PREPARED POTTING SOIL.**—\$1.00 per bu.

**PLANT BED PROTECTING CLOTH.**—An article every gardener or trucker should have on hand. 15c. to 25c. per yard.

**PRUNERS.**—Water's Tree. A finely made pruner, sold in all lengths. 85c. to \$2.50.

**CRONK AND CARRIER.**—This is a very handy and well-made pruner. 85c. to \$1.50.

**DISSTON.**—This pruner head can be put up upon any length pole, and is operated by a string. \$1.50 to \$2.50.

**RAKES.**—Short tooth, gravel, malleable or steel. 75c. to \$1.25.

**STEEL GARDEN RAKE.**—70c. to \$1.25.

**AMES WOOD RAKE.**—35c. to 75c.

**BOW STEEL RAKES.**—75c. to \$1.25.

**WOOD, GRAIN AND HAY RAKES.**—35c. to 75c.

**HUSTLER LAWN RAKE (WIRE).**—24 teeth to 36 teeth. 60c. to \$1.25.

**RAFFIA.**—Used exclusively for tying small vegetables. 15c. per lb.

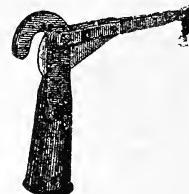
**RIVETS.**—Pony, Rex, Spilt Brass, Tubular Japanned. 10c. to 40c. per box.

**RUBBER PLANT SPRINKLERS.**—Straight neck, 7 oz., 12 oz. 50c. to \$2.00. Angle neck, 7 oz., 12 oz. 60c. to \$2.00.

**SAWS, PRUNING.**—Double edge, 16-inch, 18-inch, 20-inch, 90c. to \$1.25. Single edge, 14-inch, 16-inch, 18-inch, 20-inch. 75c. to \$1.50. Combined pruning saw and chisel for end of any length pole. 90c. to \$1.50.

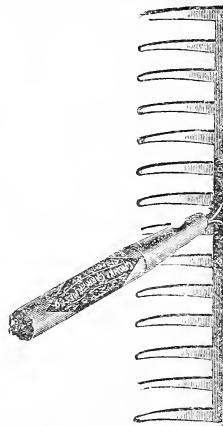
**BUCK SAWS.**—\$1.00 to \$1.50.

**SAW BUCKS.**—Made of wood. 75c.



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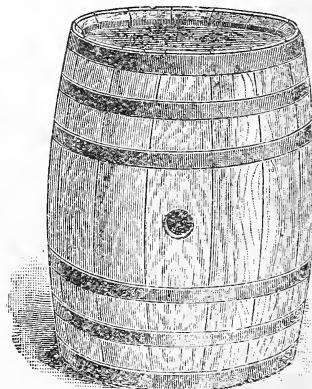
PRUNING SAW.



STEEL RAKE.



POST-HOLE DIGGER.



WINE KEG.

**ONE AND TWO-MAN CROSS-CUT SAWS.**—In all sizes and various prices. \$1.50 to \$9.00.

**SCALES.**—Platform, House, Butcher, Butter, Ice, Milk, etc. \$1.00 to \$36.00.

**SCYTHES.**—We are the only merchants in the city who import scythes direct from Austria. We carry a large assortment of blades for all purposes. Also American and English makes. Brush, Grass, Bramble. \$1.00 to \$2.00.

**SCYTHE STONE AND RIFFLES.**—English, Darby, Pike, German. 5c. to 25c.

**SCYTHE SNATHS.**—With the latest appliance for fastening the scythe. Light Heavy. 90c. to \$2.00

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**SCISSORS.**—Rose shears, grape trimming, grape and flower gathering. 40c. to \$2.00.

**SIEVES.**—Heavy for gardens, etc. 75c. to \$1.00.

**SHOVELS.**—Round point, D handle; Square point, D handle; Maynard, square point, long handle; Ames; Maynard. 75c. to \$2.00.

**SPADES.**—Ribsam Special, Ames, Maynard's Solid Steel, Special Turfing, Clay, Special Nursery. \$1.00 to \$2.00.

**SCOOPS.**—Wood, D handle; steel, D handle; wood scoops. \$1.00 to \$2.00.

For potatoes, galvanized wire.

For potatoes, steel.

For anything special in the way of shovels, spades or scoops, write us. We have it.

**SPIGOTS.**—Wood. 12c. to 30c.

**SPAGNUM MOSS.**—\$2.50 per bale.

**STAKES, PLANT, ROUND.**—Painted.

**STAKES, PLANT, SQUARE.**

**DOWELS, PLAIN.**

We also carry Bamboo and Hyacinth stakes.

**SYRINGES, BRASS.**—No. A, stream and spray; No. C, stream and spray. \$2.25 to \$6.00.

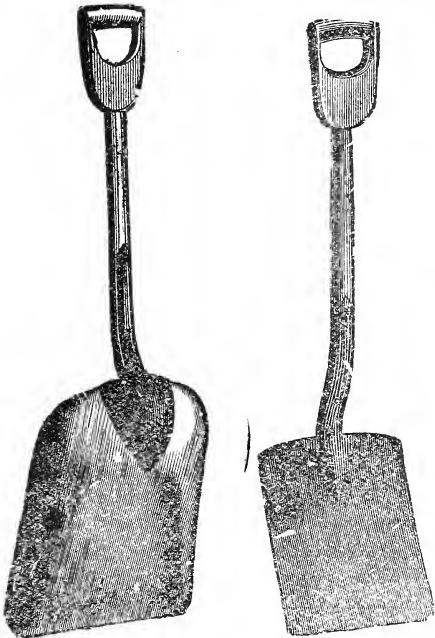
**ATOMIZERS.**—Glass and tin, from 45c. to \$1.00; Rubber for house use, \$1.50 to \$2.00; Automatic Compressed Air, galvanized, 75c. to \$1.75; Copper, \$1.00 to \$1.75.

**THERMOMETERS.**—Dairy, Hygrometers, Incubator, for all styles; also Brooder thermometers. Greenhouse and home thermometers. Tin, Japanned, regular 8-inch, 10-inch; Tin, Japanned, tested 8-inch, 10-inch; Copper case, tested, 8-inch, 10-inch; Conservatory porcelain scale, large figures, self-registering tin case; copper case; Hotbed or Mushroom, iron point or brass point. 45c. to \$4.50.

**TRAPS.**—WIRE, mice and rat. 5c. to \$1.00. Steel Blake, No. O; Steel Blake, with chain; Steel Victor, Steel Victor, with chain. 18c. to 30c.

**TREE PRUNERS.**—(See Pruners.)

**TREE SCRAPERS.**—Handled. 45c. to \$1.00.

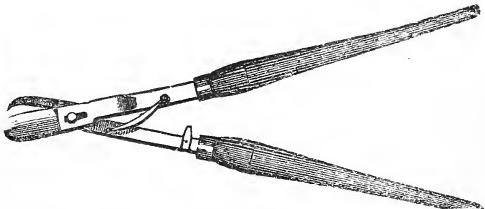


Scoop  
Shovel.

Square Point  
Shovel.



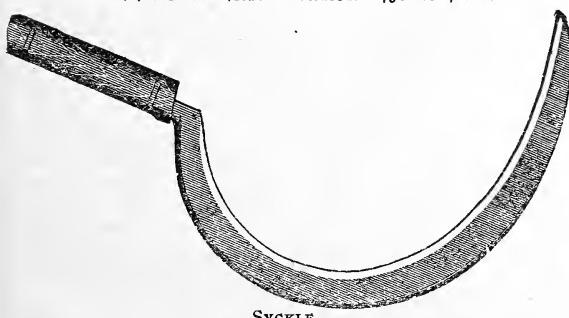
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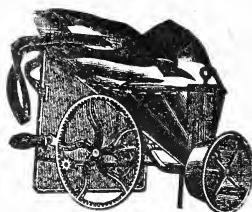
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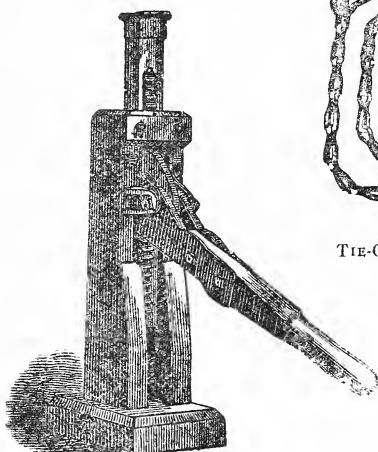
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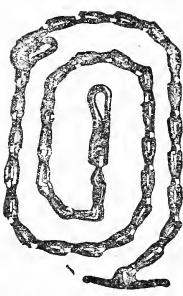
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CALHOUN BROADCAST SEEDER.



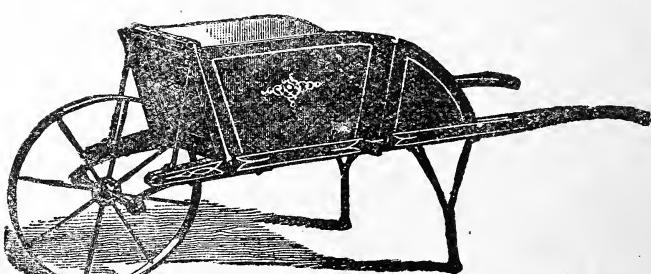
WAGON JACK.



TIE-OUT CHAINS.



TROWELS.



WHEELBARROWS.



PATENTAPPLIEDFOR

**TROWELS.**—Special light, solid steel, with solid shank; English solid, Slim Jim for transplanting; and other transplanting. 5c. to 60c.

**TIE-OUT CHAINS.**—Light weight, 20 ft., 30 ft.; heavy weight, 20 ft., 30 ft. 75c. to \$2.00.

**TIE TWINE.**—"Green Twist," permanent color; cotton, jute, two and three-ply; tar rope, Binder twine.

**TORCH.**—For burning caterpillars. 60c. to \$2.50.

**TRELLIS.**—Galvanized Wire. 12-inch, 15-inch, 18-inch, 21-inch, 24-inch, 36-inch, 48-inch, 60-inch, 72-inch, 90-inch, 108-inch, 120-inch. 25c. to \$3.50.

**VINE OR FRANCIS WALL NAILS.**—With lead lips to turn over vine, 1½ inches. \$1.50 per 100.

**WAGON JACKS.**—Wood, Iron. 75c. to \$6.00.

**WATERING CANS OR SPRINKLING POTS.**—Galvanized; two qualities, heavy and light, with galvanized or copper roses. 15c. to \$3.00.

**WEDGEES.**—Steel, in assorted weights. 30c. to 50c.

**WEEDERS.**—Langs, Makefield and other hand and foot weeders. 25c. to 85c.

**WHEELBARROWS.**—Garden, Hothouse, Wood, contractor's; Steel, contractor's; Leaf barrow, Coal barrow. \$3.50, upward.

**WRENCHES.**—Coe make, knife handle; Coe make, regular handle. Alligator. 25c. to \$1.50.

#### FLOWER POTS, SAUCERS, PANS AND TUBS.

**STANDARD FLOWER POTS.**—Full inside measurement. No charge for packing. Six at dozen rate; 50 at 100 rate; 500 at 1,000 rate.

Sizes.	Dozen.	100.
2 -inch,	\$0.20	\$1.25
2½ -inch,	.25	1.50
3 -inch,	.30	2.00
3½ -inch,	.40	3.00
4 -inch,	.50	3.50
4½ -inch,	.60	4.00
5 -inch,	.75	5.00
6 -inch,	1.25	5.75
7 -inch,	1.60	10.00
8 -inch,	2.25	13.50
9 -inch,	4.00	19.50
10 -inch,	6.00	30.00
11 -inch,	8.00	40.50
12 -inch,	10.00	50.00
14 -inch,	15.00	90.00

#### Flower Pot Saucers.

Sizes.	100.
4-inch,	\$2.25
5-inch,	3.00
6-inch,	4.50
7-inch,	6.00
8-inch,	8.25
9-inch,	11.25
10-inch,	13.50
11-inch,	16.50
12-inch,	20.25
14-inch,	33.75

#### Bulb Pans.

Sizes.	Each.
4 -inch,	\$0.06
4½ -inch,	.08
5 -inch,	.10
6 -inch,	.12
7 -inch,	.15
8 -inch,	.25
9 -inch,	.40
10 -inch,	.60
12 -inch,	1.00
14 -inch,	1.75

FERN DISH LINERS.—4c. to 20c.

WOOD FIBRE SAUCERS.—8c. to \$1.50.

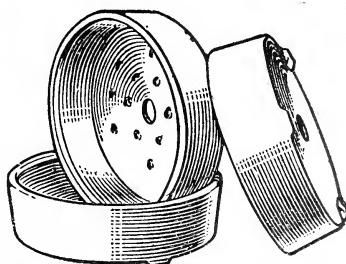
WOOD FIBRE ROLLING STANDS.—For heavy plants. 75c. to \$2.00.

#### PLANT TUBS.

(Prices Subject to Change.)

CEDAR TUBS, REGULAR RICHMOND STYLE.—Made of fine white cedar, with heavy cast feet and handles, and heavy flat-steel hoops. Tub painted green, hoops and feet black.

Size.	Outside Diameter.	Depth.	Price.
No. 0, .....	24½ inches	24	\$10.00
No. 1, .....	23½ inches	22	7.25
No. 2, .....	21 inches	20	6.50
No. 3, .....	18 inches	18	5.25
No. 4, .....	16½ inches	16	4.50
No. 5, .....	14 inches	14	4.00
No. 6, .....	12 inches	12	3.50
No. 7, .....	11¾ inches	10	3.00
No. 8, .....	10 inches	9½	2.75



FERN PANS.

#### NEW YORK STYLE TREE TUBS.

Made of Virginia white cedar, painted green. Hoops, feet and handles painted black. Complete tub, trifle lighter than regular.

Size.	Top Diameter.	Depth.	Price.
No. 1, .....	12 in.	10 in.	\$1.75
No. 2, .....	13 in.	12¾ in.	2.25
No. 3, .....	14½ in.	14¾ in.	3.50
No. 3½, .....	16½ in.	15 in.	3.00
No. 4, .....	19 in.	16 in.	4.00
No. 5, .....	22 in.	18¾ in.	4.50



STANDARD POT.

#### PHILADELPHIA STYLE TREE TUBS.

Size.	Top Diameter.	Depth.	Price.
No. 1, .....	15 in.	13 in.	\$3.25
No. 2, .....	14½ in.	12 in.	2.75
No. 3, .....	13 in.	12 in.	2.25
No. 4, .....	12 in.	11¾ in.	1.75
No. 5, .....	11 in.	10½ in.	1.50
No. 6, .....	10 in.	10 in.	1.35
No. 7, .....	8½ in.	10 in.	1.25
No. 8, .....	8½ in.	8 in.	1.00

Made of Virginia white cedar, bound with three electric-welded wire hoops in grooves. The hoops will not break or fall off.

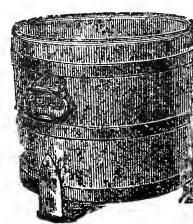
#### RICHMOND STYLE TREE TUBS.

The tubs are made of white cedar, bound with flat steel hoop at bottom and three galvanized hoops above. Nicely painted green.

Size.	Inside Diameter.	Depth.	Price.
No. 1, .....	6 in.	6 in.	\$0.70
No. 2, .....	7 in.	7 in.	.75
No. 3, .....	8 in.	8 in.	.80
No. 4, .....	9 in.	9 in.	.95
No. 5, .....	10 in.	9 in.	1.00
No. 6, .....	11 in.	10 in.	1.25
No. 7, .....	12 in.	11 in.	1.50
No. 8, .....	13 in.	12 in.	1.95
No. 9, .....	14 in.	13 in.	2.20
No. 10, .....	15 in.	14 in.	2.35
No. 11, .....	16 in.	15 in.	2.75
No. 12, .....	17 in.	16 in.	3.20
No. 13, .....	18 in.	17 in.	4.15
No. 14, .....	19 in.	18 in.	4.60



STANDARD POT SAUCER.



PLANT AND TREE TUB.

Prices on Dreer's Keystone Plant Tubs, Jardinieres and special size tubs upon application.

# Cyclone Sanitary Wire Fencing

## Wire Fencing of All Kinds and Styles



Lawn Fence.

Is our most popular and closest-mesh sanitary fence—opens up the yard to fresh air and sunlight, creating healthy playgrounds out of unsanitary back yards. Easily erected by anyone on ordinary wood posts and 2 x 4 top rail. Pickets No. 9 heavily galvanized wire spaced  $2\frac{1}{8}$  inches at top,  $1\frac{1}{8}$  inches at bottom, making fence absolutely chicken-proof. Best heights are 36, 42 and 48 inches.

PRICE PER LINEAL FOOT—STYLE “600”—36-inch, 15 cents. 42-inch, 17 cents. 48-inch, 19 cents. Special prices in large quantities. 3 ft. Gate to match, \$3.00 and Upwards.

STYLE “100.”—Is exactly the same construction as Style “600” above, except the additional lower pickets are not used. Pickets spaced 27-8 inches apart, making a very handsome and inexpensive enclosure for any yard. Best heights are 36, 42 and 48 inches.

PRICE PER LINEAL FOOT—STYLE “100.”—36-inch, 13 cents. 42-inch, 15 cents. 48-inch, 17 cents. Special prices in large quantities. Gates to match, \$2.50 and Upwards.

**CYCLONE FLOWER GUARD.**—Fits any shape or size of bed. Bottoms of pickets left straight to be inserted in the ground.

PRICE PER LINEAL FOOT.—16-inch, 8 cents; 22-inch, 10 cents; 28-inch, 12 cents.

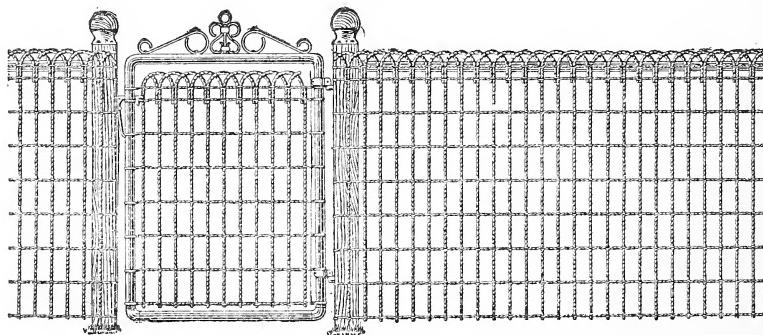
ALL STEEL, 48 x 12 ft. FARM GATE, \$8.50.

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**UNIVERSAL WALK GATE.**—Strong enough for any yard, ornamental enough for any home. Heavy, high-carbon steel tubing non-breakable frame with Chicken-tight Style “600” Fabric.

Furnished with fittings to fasten to wood posts. Choice of 36, 42 and 48-inch heights. Price for 3-ft. Opening, \$3.00.

“No Rust” All Galvanized Farm Gates, Factory and Cemetery Fences, Arches, Trellis, Tennis-Court Guards, Hitching Post, Flower Bed Borders, Window Guards, Etc.



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**INSECTICIDES AND FUNGICIDES.**

Prices subject to market fluctuation.  
Full directions with each package. Poisons and liquids  
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**ANT-I-CIDE.**—For ants in lawns; it drives them out.  
Non-poisonous powder for strewing on the infested surface.  
One pound will treat 300 square feet of lawn. 25c.  
per pkg.

**APHINE.**—Kills plant lice of every description. A  
strong nicotine extract. \$1.00 to \$2.50 per can.

**APHIS PUNK.**—A nicotine paper for fumigating. 60c.  
per box.

**ARSENATE OF LEAD.**—The best of arsenical insecticides; it will not burn foliage. Apply at rate of 1  
lb. to 50 gal. of water. Prices upon request.

**BLACK LEAF "40."**—A nicotine solution for spraying or fumigating. 1 oz. 25c.; ½ lb. \$1.25; 2 lbs. \$3.75;  
10 lbs. \$15.50.

**BORDEAUX MIXTURE.**—The very best remedy against fungus, rust and rots. Apply 1 lb. to 50 gal. water. ½ lb. 25c. and up. Prices upon request.

**BORDEAUX—ARSENATE OF LEAD MIXTURE.**—A very excellent remedy for apple and pear trees, potatoes, melons and cucumbers. It will keep roses free of mildew, black spot and insects of all sorts. 1 lb. 35c.; 2 lbs. 65c.

**BORDEAUX MIXTURE (LIQUID).**—Add water—it is ready for use. One quart to 50 gal. water. For fungous diseases. 1 qt. 50c.; 1 gal. \$1.75.

**BORDEAUX MIXTURE (DRY).**—For dusting for fungous diseases. Can be used as a spray. 1 lb. 40c.; 5 lbs. \$1.50.

**BUG DEATH.**—A sure and safe remedy for all kinds of plant-eating pests. It kills bugs and worms; harmless to birds, animals, bees and flowers. 1 lb. 15c. Prices upon request.

**COPPER SULPHATE.**—Used for early spraying and the making of Bordeaux. 1 lb. 25c. Prices upon request.

**CROW CORN OIL.**—A non-poisonous oil for protecting newly planted corn. Will not kill birds. Will run through seeder. 25c. per pt.; 40c. per qt.

**CUT-WORM KILLER.**—Very alluring to cut worms. It is non-poisonous to birds, fowl or animals. Box 25c.

**FIR TREE OIL.**—Destroys red spider, mealy bugs and aphids. ½ lb. 40c.; 2 lbs. \$1.00.

**GRAPE DUST.**—Kills mildew indoors and out; also mites and molds. 5 lbs. 65c.

**HALL'S NICOTINE FUMIGATOR.**—A simple, effective fumigator for plant lice, thrips, etc., in the greenhouse. 1 lb. \$1.00; 2½ lbs. \$2.50; 10 lbs. \$8.50.

**HELLOBORE.**—Destroys insects and worms on currants, vines, roses and shrubs. ¼ lb. 25c.; ½ lb. 35c.; 1 lb. 60c.

**INSECT POWDER OR DALMATION.**—For fleas, roaches, moths and ants. 25c. per pkg.

**KEROSENE EMULSION (LIQUID).**—For plant lice, aphids, etc. 1 qt. 50c.; 1 gal. \$1.75.

**LEMON OIL.**—One of the most highly recommended insecticides for home and greenhouse use. It has a pleasant odor and destroys all insects and soft scales. 1 pt. 50c.; 1 qt. 60c.; ½ gal. \$1.50.

**LIME SULPHUR SOLUTION (LIQUID).**—The best known of scale and fungous destroyers. Good on pears and peaches. Use during dormant season. 1 gal. 40c.; \$12.00 per bbl. Special price on quantity.

**LIME SULPHUR SOLUTION (POWDER).**—Used same as above. Dissolves entirely in cold water. 20c. per lb.; \$14.00 per 100 lbs.

**MELROSIONE.**—It kills rose bugs. It is a liquid spray. Does not discolor the flower and is non-poisonous. Pint can \$1.00; quart can \$1.75; ½ gallon can \$3.25; gallon can \$6.00.

**NICO FUME.**—Paper made from high-grade nicotine solution. Hang up and light and it will destroy green fly, thrips, and all insects destroyed by tobacco. 24 sheets \$1.25; 144 sheets, \$5.00.

**NICO FUME (LIQUID).**—Used for spraying and fumigating. Will kill most insects and scale. ¼ lb. 50c.; 1 lb. \$1.50; 4 lbs. \$5.50.

**NIKOTEEN.**—Kills aphids, thrip, rosebug, green fly, plant lice, mealy bugs, etc. Bottle 40c.; ½ lb. \$1.25; 1 lb. \$2.00; 4 lbs. \$6.50.

**PARIS GREEN.**—Used for potato bugs and other eating insects. Prices upon request.

**PINOL-LYPTOL.**—The very newest and quickest method of destroying weeds, grass and other growth in garden walks, gutters, tennis courts, driveways, etc. Use one part to ten or fifteen parts water and spray just before nightfall. 1 gal. 25c.; 5 gal. can, \$7.50.

**RAT CORN.**—It petrifies the rat and leaves no odor. It is not poisonous to fowl or beat. 25c. to \$1.00 per pkg.

**SCALESIDER.**—A very good winter spray for scale. \$1.00 per gal.; \$42.00 per bbl., delivered at your station.

**SLUG-SHOT.**—Sure death to the cabbage worm. It destroys all other insects also. 1 lb. carton 15c. 5 lbs. 50c.

**SULPHUR, POWDERED.**—Used on steam pipes in paste form or for spreading on roses for mildew. 8c. per lb.; \$6.50 per 100 lbs.

**TOBACCO DUST.**—Used for dusting on plants to destroy insects. 10c. per lb. Prices upon request.

**TOBACCO SOAP.**—A very good insecticide for general use. 15c. per pkg. and up.

**TOBACCO STEMS.**—Used for fumigating, for covering lawns to furnish ammonia and drive away insects and moulds. 5c. per lb.; \$3.00 per 100.

**TREE TANGLEFOOT.**—A sure remedy against caterpillars, Gypsy moths and other insects which climb the trunk of a tree. 1 lb. 50c.; 3 lbs. \$1.45; 10 lbs. \$4.50.

**WHALE OR FISH-OIL SOAP.**—Used during summer as a wash; stimulating to the plant and prevents the spread of scale. ½ lb. 15c.; 1 lb. 25c.

**WEED KILLER.**—(See Pinol-Lyptol.)

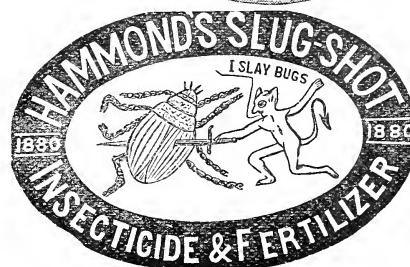
**WORM ERADICATOR.**—It eradicates worms in greenhouses or potted plants, also from lawns, tennis courts, etc. 25c. per pkg.

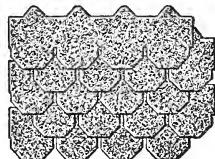
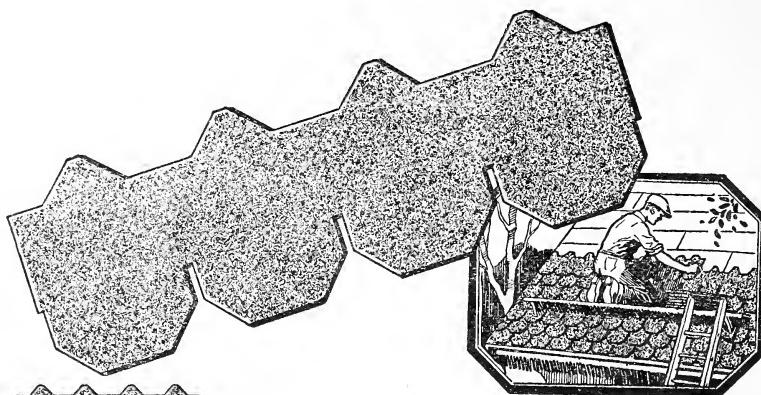
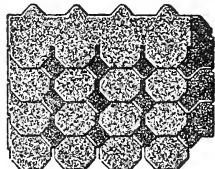


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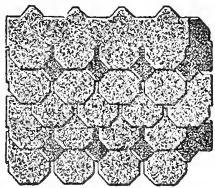


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*The Regular Design.*

*This design resulting in a roof averaging 3 thicknesses, is obtained by reversing every alternate course, requiring about 1 1/8 squares (150 strips) per 100 sq. ft.*



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No longer need your home have a roof which looks like a thousand others. You can obtain distinctive and beautiful designs by the use of Ruberoid Strip-shingles.

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The soft tones of rich red or cool sage green may be used alone or combined as you choose and by reversing the shingle courses the regularity of the roof lines can be broken up. Some of these designs are shown here—but lack of space and color make true reproduction impossible.

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# RU-BER-OID strip-shingles



# ROOFING

## RU-BER-OID and KA-LOR-OID

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Accent on the "Ru" and always spelled with one "B."  
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**KA-LOR-OID—Colored Ru-ber-oid**

A colored weather-proof roofing for homes, bungalows, etc., with the same properties as Ru-ber-oid. It will not lose its coloring, for the coloring is incorporated during the actual process of manufacturing—RED, BROWN, GREEN.

**STAREX ROOFING.**—A high-grade, ready-to-lay roofing, suitable for all classes of buildings. \$1.25 per roll.

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The Roofing that has stood the test for twenty years on buildings of all kinds and descriptions. Rain-Proof, Snow-Proof, Heat-Proof, Cold-Proof, Time-Proof, Fire-Proof.

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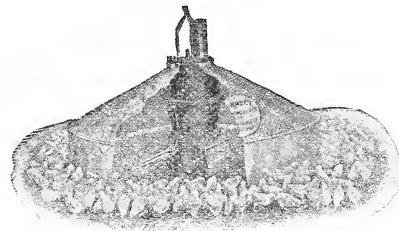
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**NEW PATTERNS, WITH MANY IMPROVEMENTS, ARE NOT EXCELLED.  
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**QUEEN STOVE BROODER.**—No. 1, 500 chicks, \$21.50; No. 2, 1,000 chicks, \$26.50.

The Queen Incubator is of the "Hot-Water" type and very aptly meets the requirements of those who desire this kind. You can make no mistake in choosing this Incubator, as there is nothing that will even equal it in the "Hot-Water" type of Incubator. All sizes.

No. 20, 70-egg size, \$16.50; No. 1, 85-egg size, \$27.50;

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**MAGIC STOVE BROODERS**—200-chick size, \$22.00;

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### SIMPLICITY INCUBATORS AND BROODERS.

Hot water combination incubator and brooder, very simple and efficient.—50-egg size, \$12; 100-egg size, \$18.

### —POULTRY SUPPLIES—

Below we give you as complete a list of poultry supplies and remedies as possible in this space. We carry a much greater line, and prices will be cheerfully given on application.

### POULTRY FOODS.

Purina Chick; Perina Poultry; Oyster Shell, all sizes; Mica Grit, all sizes; Charcoal, all sizes; Beef Scraps; Alfalfa; Cracked Bone, all sizes; Kaffir Corn; Buck-

wheat; Millet; Sunflower; Hemp; Rape; Vetch Spring Feed; Poultry Mesh; Pratt's Chicgrain; Canada Peas; Chick Chowder; Chick Manna; Conkey's Baby Chick Food; Pratt's Baby Chick Food.

The prices on these supplies are constantly changing; we will gladly quote you on any one of them by request.

Brooder Thermometers, 35c. to 50c. each; Medicated Eggs, Knox, 3c. and 5c. each; 30c. to 50c. per doz. China Eggs, 4c. each; 40c. per doz.

### Mann Green Bone Cutter.

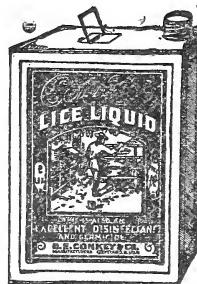
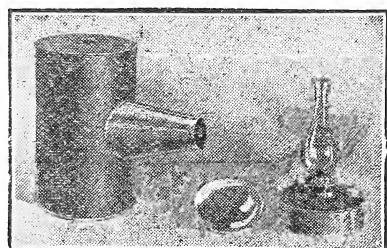
	Each.
Incubator and Brooder Lamps, . . . . .	75c. to \$1.00 each.
Standard Egg Tester, . . . . .	25c. each.
Banner Root Cutter, . . . . .	\$4.50 to \$18.00
Wilson & Mountville Shell Mills, . . . . .	\$6.00
Wilson & Mountville Shell Mills, on stand, . . . . .	\$9.00
Perfection Corn Sheller, . . . . .	\$2.25
No. 5 C, with crank-handle, . . . . .	\$9.50
No. 5 B, with balance wheel, . . . . .	\$12.50
No. 7, best size for a yard of 100 hens and over, . . . . .	\$18.50
No. 7½, hand and power, . . . . .	\$25.00
No. 12, power only, . . . . .	\$50.00

## POULTRY SUNDRIES.

## Drinking Fountains, Hoppers, Feeders, Etc.

Price Each.

Galvanized Wall Fountains,	40c. to 75c.
Peerless Galvanized Brooder Fountains,	.30c. to .85c.
Apex Galvanized Hinge Bottom Fountains,	.65c. to .85c.
Folwel Galvanized Fountains, 1 qt.,	.35c.
Apex Side Cups for Coops, Galvanized,	.15c. and .25c.
Ribsam's Stoneware Drinking Fountains,	.18c. to .45c.
Stoneware Drinking Fountains,	.25c. to .65c.
Norwich Automatic Air-Lock Fountain,	.....\$3.00
Galvanized Fountains,	.25c. to .60c.
Cast-Iron Fountains,	.35c. to .60c.
Apex Galvanized Chick Feeder, double,	.40c. to .75c.
Apex Galvanized Chick Feeders, single,	.30c. to .75c.
Cast-Iron Compartment Chick Feeders,	.30c. to \$1.25
Apex Side-Wall Galvanized Box Feeders,	.50c. to .75c.
Hub Galvanized Chicken Feeder,	.50c. and .60c.
Folwel Sanitary Galv. Dry Mesh Feeder,	.90c. and \$1.00.
Perfect Galv. Dry Mesh Feeder and Grit Box,	.60c. to .75c.
Norwich Automatic Feeder,	.2.50 to \$5.00
Jersey Sanitary Dry Food Hopper,	.....\$1.50 to \$2.50
Ideal Dry Mesh Feeder,	.....\$1.75 to \$2.25
6-in-1 Exerciser and Feeder,	.....\$3.75 to 5.00
Connors Sprouters,	.....2.25 to 4.00
Aluminum Leg Bands (3 styles),	.15c. per doz.; .65c. per 100.
Celluloid Leg Bands,	.....20c. per doz.; .75c. per 100.
Celluloid Pigeon Bands,	.....15c. per doz.; .60c. per 100.
Incubator Thermometers,	.....50c. to \$1.00 each.

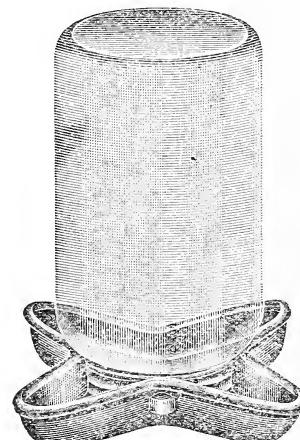


WE ALSO CARRY A COMPLETE LINE OF PRATT'S, RUST'S AND DR. HESS REMEDIES, PRICES AND CATALOGUE CHEERFULLY SENT ON APPLICATION.

## Pilling's Complete Line of Poultry Instruments.

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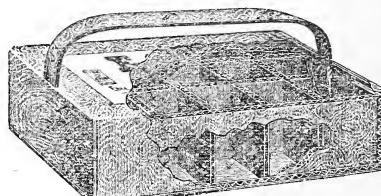
Philadelphia Poultry Marker,	.....25c.
French Poultry Killing Knife,	.....50c.
Gape Worm Extractor,	.....25c.
Horse-Hair Gape Worm Extractor,	.....15c.
Pilling's Killing Knife, angular,	.....50c.



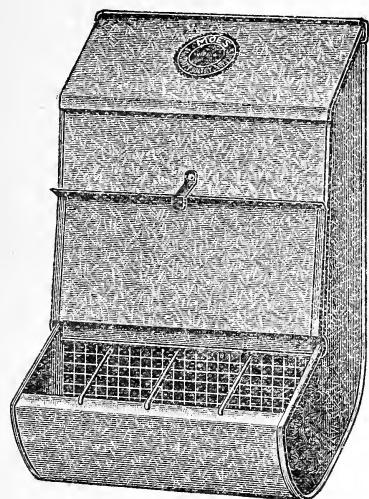
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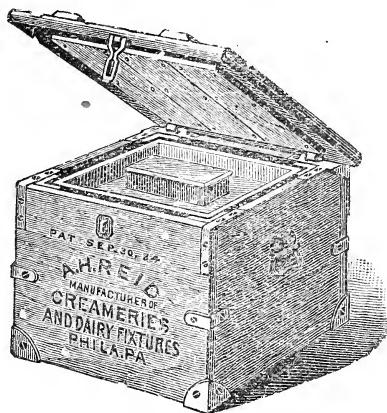
BROODER THERMOMETER.



EGG BOXES.



GALVANIZED DRY MESH FEEDERS.



BUTTER BOX.

## Dairy Supplies

**BOTTLE CARRIERS.**—Extra heavy material and heavily galvanized. Quarts and Pints. Price each, 85c. to \$2.50.

**BOTTLES.**

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**BOTTLE BRUSHES.**—Regular and machine brushes of highest quality. 20c. to 65c.

**BOTTLE-WASHING MACHINES.**

**BUTTER BOXES.** \$2.25 to \$6.00.

**BUTTER PRESSES.**—15c. to \$10.00.

**BUTTER WORKERS.**—\$9.50 upward.

**BABCOCK'S TEST BOTTLES.**—Milk, Cream and Skim Milk Bottles. 20c. upward.

**BAG BALM.**—Per box, 65c.

**BARKER'S CATTLE POWDER.**—18c. per pkg.; 6 pkgs. for 85c. Also new pkgs., 25c.

**BLATCHFORD and RYDES CALF MEAL.**—This is an excellent meal for the young stock. 25 lbs. for \$1.75.

**BUTTER PAPER.**—In all sizes.

**CHURNNS.**—Monumental, Improved and Babcock. \$2.25 to \$10.00.

**COOLEY CANS.**—Made of fine charcoal plate tin.

**CREAM CANS.**—Made of fine charcoal plate tin. 85c. to \$2.00.

**CREAM KETTLES.**—For serving purposes, all sizes,

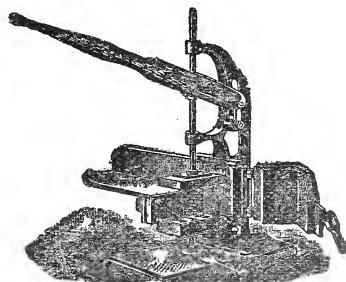
blocked tin and iron clad. 15c. to \$2.00.

**CREAM PANS.**—Japanned, painted and plain. Price each, 20c. to 50c.

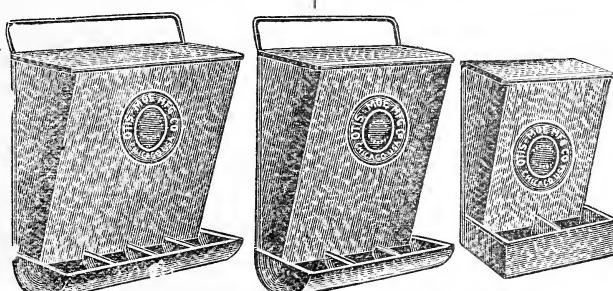
**CREAMERS.**—\$1.00 to \$6.00.



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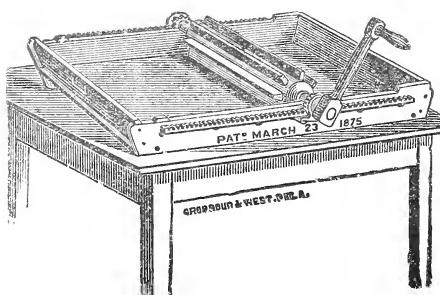
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**GARGET CURE.**—Per pkg., 6oc.

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**WOOD COW STANCHIONS.**—\$2.35.

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**LARD KETTLES.**—35c. to \$1.00.

**MEASURING KETTLES.**—These are made of one best block tin, are iron clad and copper bound.

**MILKING PAILS.**—We have six styles of sanitary pails for you to select from. 65c. to \$4.50.

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**SEPARATORS (DE LAVAL).**—This is absolutely the best separator on the market. Do not fail to have one of these machines in your creamery.

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We can also supply traveling outfits and all extras and supplies for above machines. Write for catalogue.

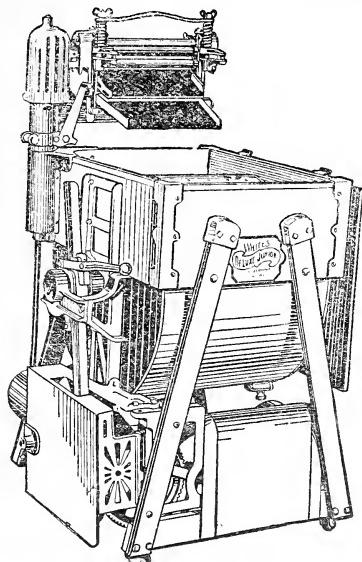
**WARNER WOOD COW STANCHION.**—\$2.35.

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**WATERING TROUGHs.**

## WASHING MACHINES

### The White Line Hand-Coopered Machines



WHITE WAY ELECTRIC WASHER.

**THE TWIN TUB.**—This washer has two tubs with a collapsible platform which will hold two tubs or a basket. The wringer revolves over all tubs and the working parts are all under the tubs and protected.

The White line of machines is constructed of the very best materials throughout, and when properly cared for will last many years.

**WHITE WAY.**—The speediest and lightest running hand-power washing machine in the world.

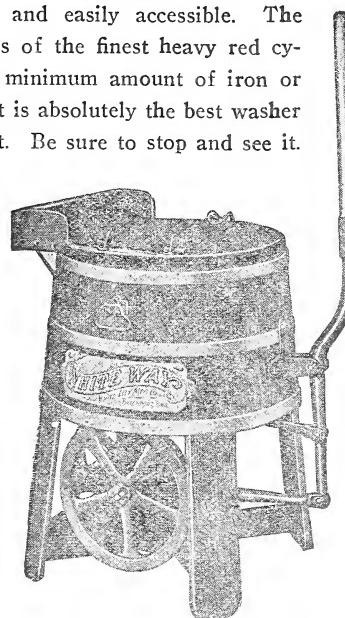
**WHITE LILY ELECTRIC WASHER.**—Operated from any electric light socket, at a cost of less than two cents per hour. Wringer and motor attached. It is a wonder.

**WHITE LILY POWER WASHER.**—A machine especially built for us with an engine wringer attached; will run two ways with turn of lever. In this line we have a special outfit which it will pay you to look into.

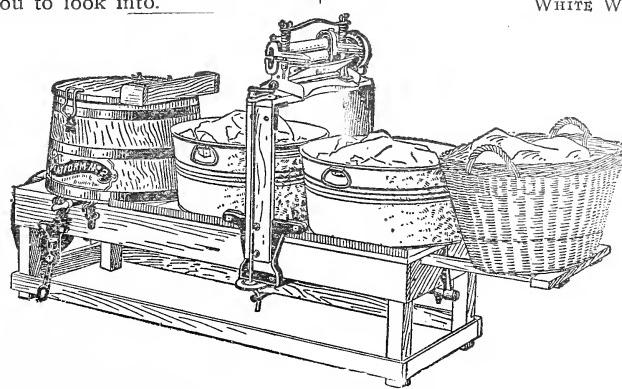
#### THE WHITE WAY REVOLVING

**THE WHITE WAY REVOLVING PLATFORM WASHER.**—This platform revolves up to the wringer, which is reversible. This gives the use of two extra tubs. The machine does not take up much room and is very handy.

**WHITE WAY PLATFORM WASHER No. 2.**—This machine consists of a large tub, which can be tipped and drained, with a platform of two extra tubs and a basket. The wringer operates over all the tubs, and can be shifted at will. It can be run in any direction, and the control is by a foot-lever. All operating parts are under the platform and easily accessible. The construction is of the finest heavy red cypress, with a minimum amount of iron or steel parts. It is absolutely the best washer on the market. Be sure to stop and see it.



WHITE WAY HAND WASHER.

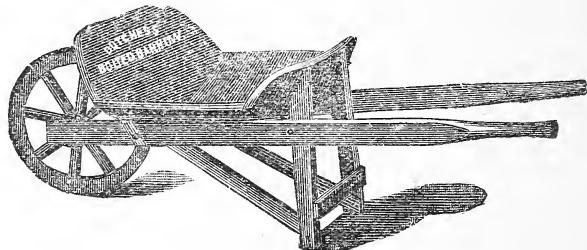


WHITE WAY PLATFORM WASHER No. 2.

# General Farm Machinery

## LARGE TOOLS

All Large Tools are at Our  
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CANAL BARROW.

No. 1 WHEEL BARROW.—For general farm use.

No. 3 WHEEL BARROW.—For garden use.

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No. 5 CANAL BARROW.—Fully bolted.

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LAWN BARROW.—A large barrow for use on lawns, in mills, tanneries, livery stables, etc. Box 25" x 32" x 18".

GREENHOUSE BARROW.—Very narrow for use in aisles. Box 4' 8" x 17" x 12".

TUBULAR BARROW.—Dump over wheels. For mortar, coal, etc.

For any special barrow, truck or cart, write us, we can furnish it.

BINDER TWINE.—Standard make of the best material.

BROOMS.—For all purposes; house, stable, dairy, street, etc.

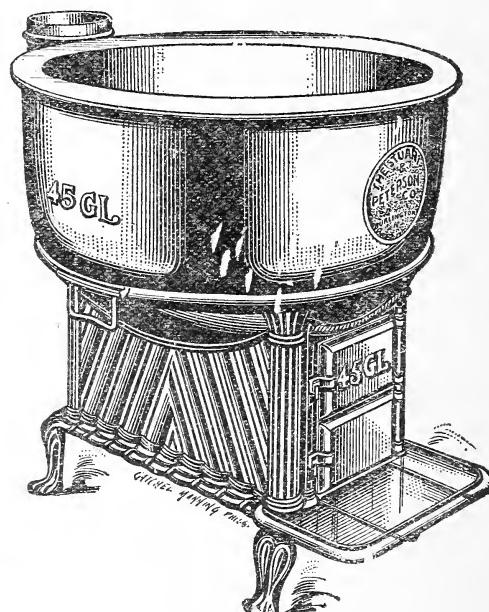
BOILERS, FARMERS'.—Cast-iron stove and caldron. Three sizes. 22 gal., \$30.00; 30 gal., \$37.50.

Also THE "FARMERS' FAVORITE" FEED COOKER AND AGRICULTURAL BOILER.—These cookers complete with stove, fire-box, galvanized steel boiler with four handles and cover, one length of 6" stovepipe and one 6" elbow; from 25 to 100 gal.; \$20.00 to \$30.00.  
25 Gal., 30 Gal., 40 Gal.

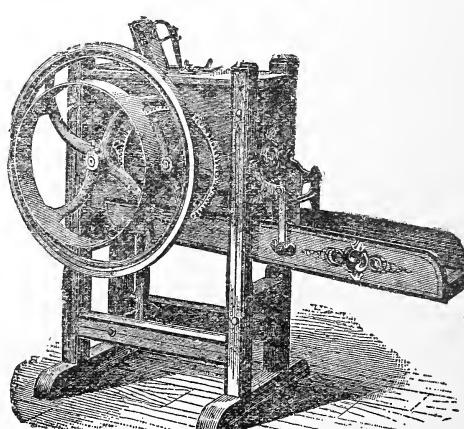
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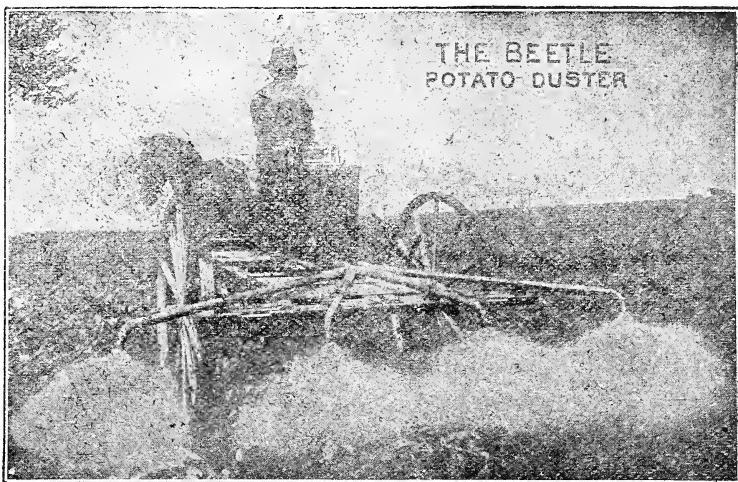
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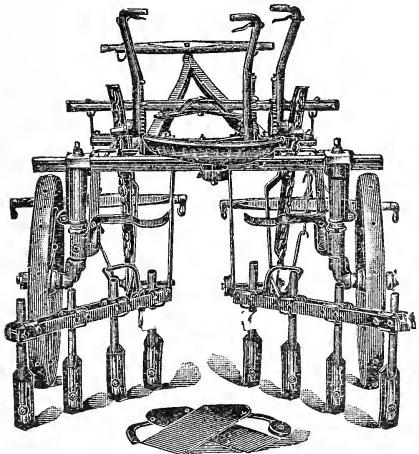
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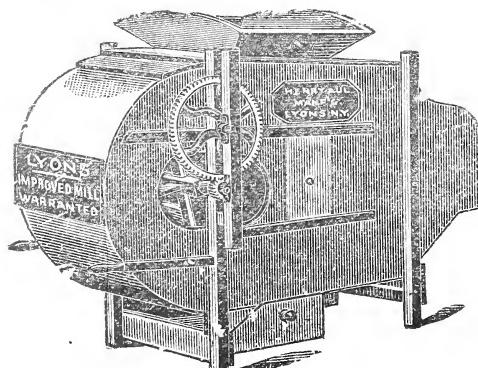
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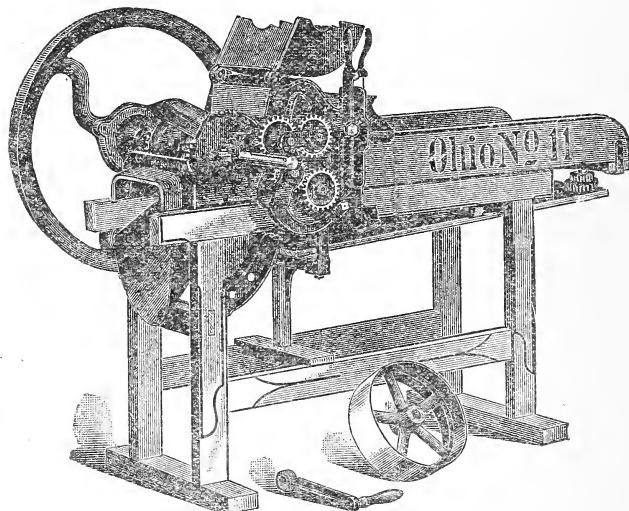


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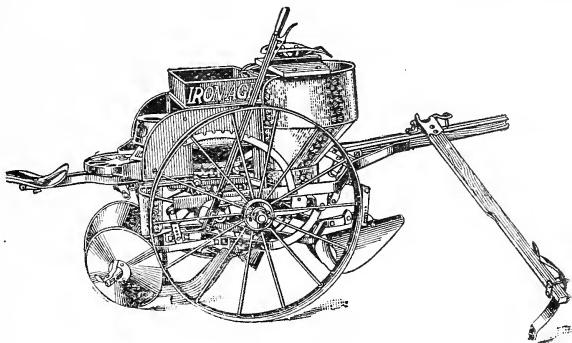
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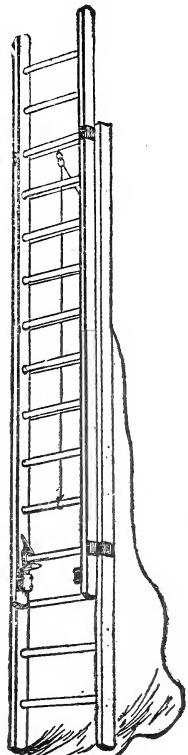
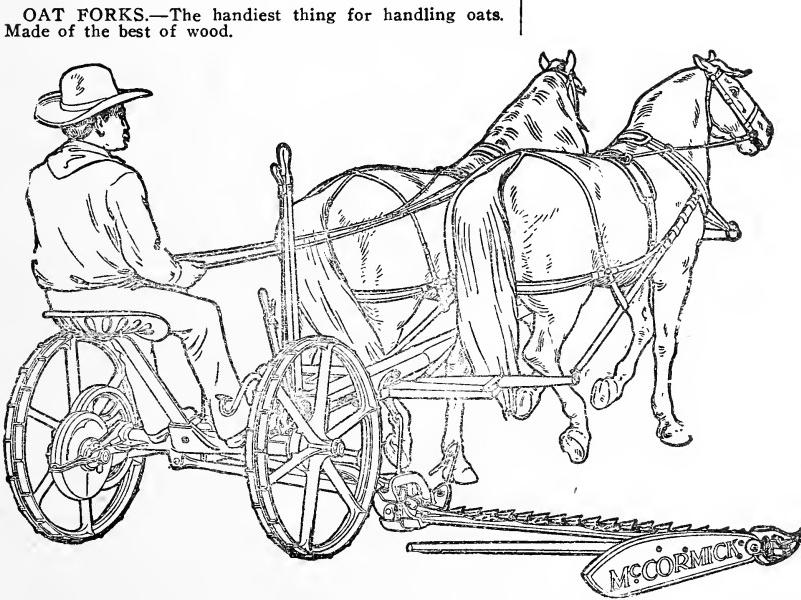
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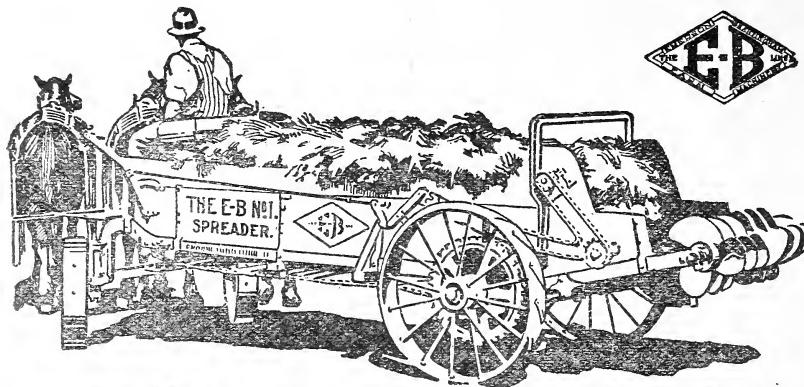
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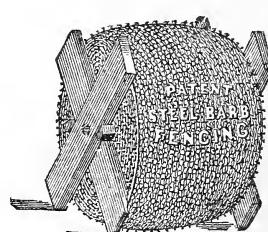
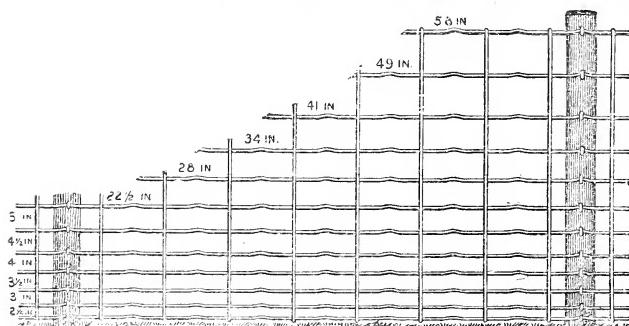
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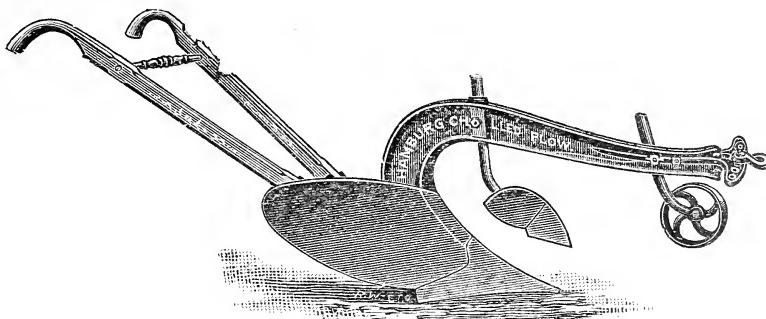
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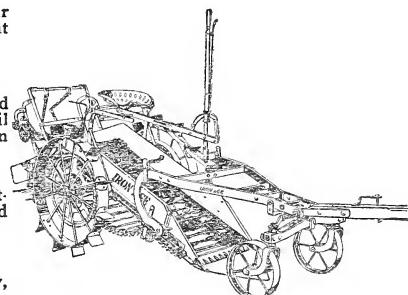


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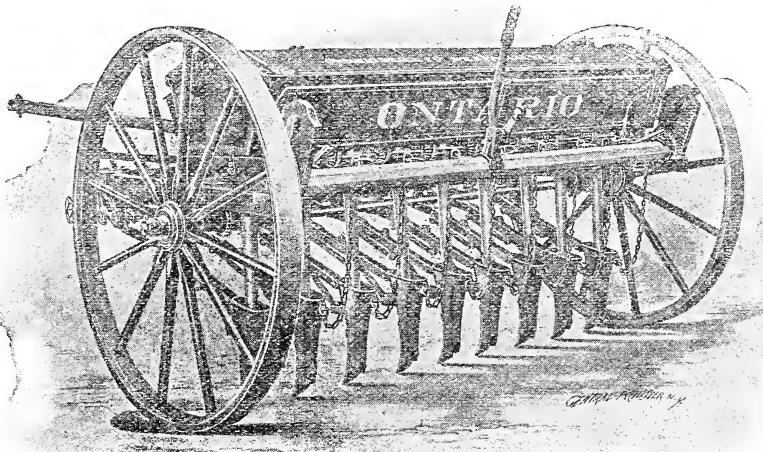
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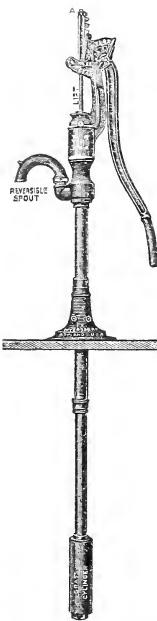
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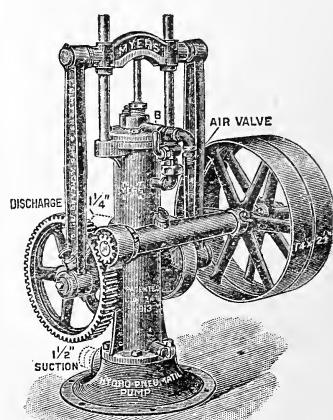
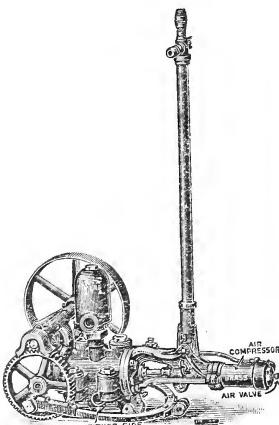
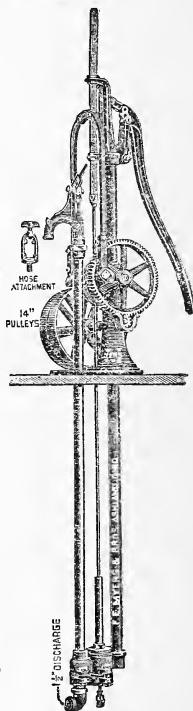
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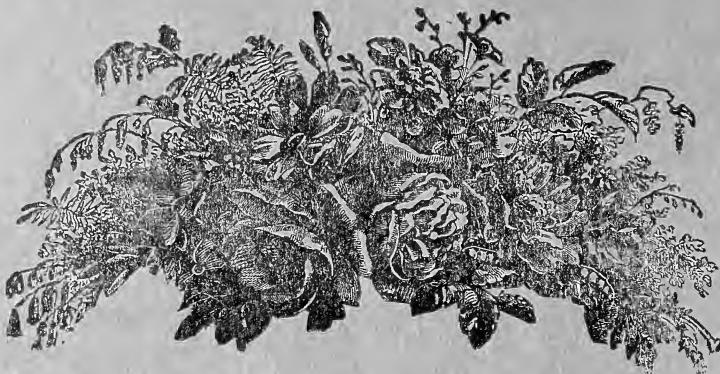
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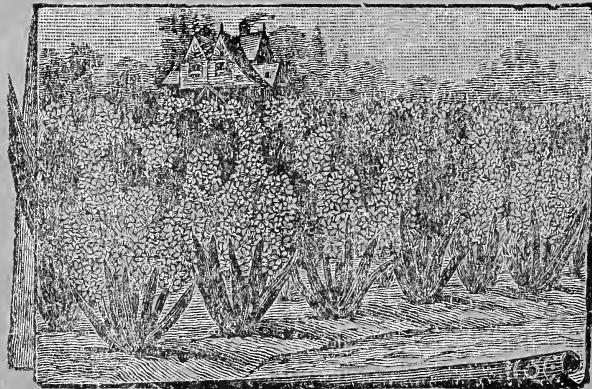
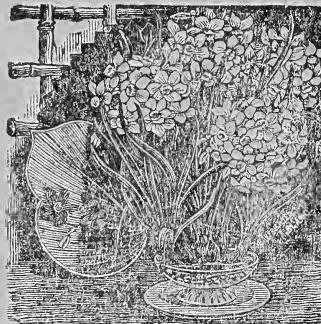
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